

# NAZI GRIP ON BALKANS BEING WEAKENED

## Meandering

Along the  
**Main Stem**  
By WASH FAYETTE

Morris Baker, deputy county auditor, was very agreeably surprised Tuesday when he found a large birthday cake and handsome gift from the office employees, on his desk in the auditor's office, as a reminder of his birthday.

I heard of the event before I stepped into the office, so when I walked in I was whistling "Happy Birthday To You," and after circling the desk still whistling, Morris took the hint, and when he wielded the big knife and cut the cake, I received a sizeable piece.

It was baked by Mrs. Georgiana Stewart, another deputy in the office, and was so delicious that I know it added a great deal toward making the day a happy one for Morris.

I think one of the greatest tragedies of my life happened on Easter Sunday. I was always quite excited Easter mornings when I toddled over to my bunny nest to see how many eggs he left me. Usually there were a dozen or so—all colors—with plenty of big chocolate ones as well as the conventional variety.

One particular Easter Sunday I rushed to the nest I'd made the night before and found, to my horror and woe, just three eggs—and purple ones at that.

I have always loathed purple and when my parents awoke to my loud sobs, they tried to console me by saying the Easter Bunny probably thought I was too big for a lot of eggs now. As I was only six at the time, their logic was, I felt sure, lopsided.

When the myth was exploded, I recalled that morose Sunday morning, how I had rebelled against Sunday School because I would have to say I got only three Easter eggs when my friends and I exchanged notes, and how the heaps of candy-shop eggs bestowed on me by sympathetic relatives had failed to ease my misery. Then my parents confessed.

That Easter they had departed from the usual and bought a flock of those fuzzy little chickens dyed all colors as a gift—with an eye to fried chicken later on in the summer. I trust—and all had died on the bitterly cold Easter eve.

It's still kind of hard to laugh about that Easter, though.

## 'SHAME' OF SUNDIAL TO BE AIRED AT OSU

State of Undress of Co-ed in Picture Starts Argument

COLUMBUS, April 5.—(AP)—A controversy over the state of dress or undress of a co-ed pictured in a campus humor magazine will be aired before the Ohio State University committee on student publications.

John B. Fullen, charged yesterday in the university alumni bulletin that a "nude" in the March issue of the Sundial "outshames the old Police Gazette." Prof. James Pollard, chairman of the publications committee and head of the school of journalism at the university, announced last night the charges would be investigated "before the last of the week."

Fullen, editor of the bulletin, likened the Sundial to a "disreputable, brazen little hussy." He upbraided Miss Phyllis Gilberg of Fremont, editor of the humor magazine.

## WFA SAYS WHITE HOUSE EGG ROLL APPROVED

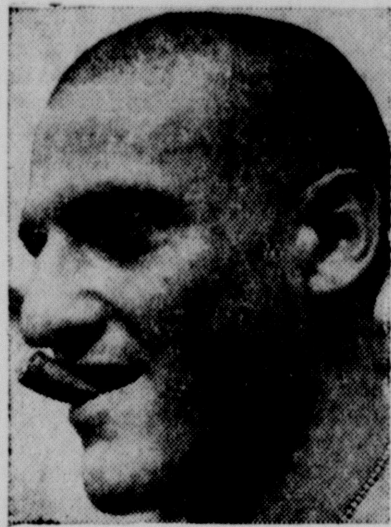
WASHINGTON, April 5.—(AP)—The War Food Administration recently suggested to the White House that the annual Easter egg rolling might be resumed on the south grounds of the executive mansion this year to help relieve the glut in the egg market.

## BATHING BEAUTIES ARE SWEATER GALS IN MIAMI

MIAMI, Fla., April 5.—(AP)—Miami men turned up their coat collars and bathing beauties became sweater girls today as the temperature dipped to 47 degrees, coldest on record for this date.

## They Went To A Clip Joint To Get Comfortable Coiffures For Combat

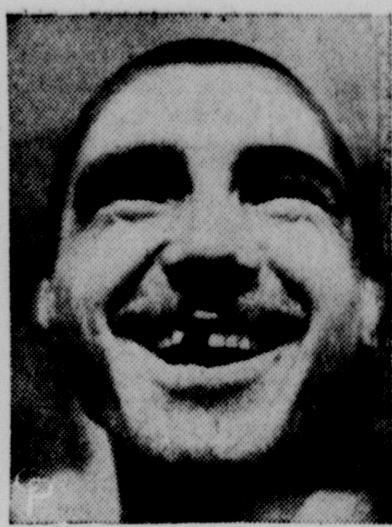
'LAY THEM CLIPPERS DOWN, LAY THEM CLIPPERS DOWN.' AND THEY DID—ON THE KNOBS OF COASTGUARDSMEN IN THE PACIFIC.



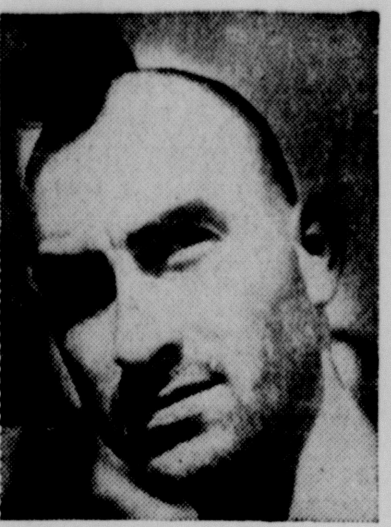
**THE BARE BELFRY**—This GI-Joe, tired of getting hairpins for his pin-up boy locks, told the clip joint proprietor to shoot the works. As a result, he emerged with this sheer, slick, satiny pate.



**AND THIS** is the strip tease. Not old enough to be classified as a bald-head, this guy urged the tonorial artist to leave a little peach fuzz to help keep the warm atmosphere from his stratosphere.



**THEY CALL THIS** the billiard ball hair-do. Streamlined for comfort, the thinned-out brier patch on his dome matches the chin growth which should make any maiden's little heart flutter.



**THE COMANCHE PEAK**—This is the result of a near-sighted barber who had difficulty finding the part in the bloke's cranium. He needed a guide line so the victim suggested leaving the scalp lock.



**SANDPAPER SWOOP**—Veronica Lake inspired this "all or nothing at all" hair-do. "No eye shade for me," he said between sandpaper rubs, "and besides, I won't have to come back for a few years."



**WILDERNESS WHIFF**, or, as one guy said, the Fuller Brush man. It was simply a case of the clippers breaking down before "Hair-breadth Harry" had all his foliage pruned for the spring season.

## Charlie Chaplin Cleared Of Mann Act Violation; But Troubles Not Over

Former Comedian Says He Believes in American Justice and That He Had Fair Trial When Acquitted

By JAMES LINDSLEY

LOS ANGELES, April 5.—(AP)—Film Comedian Charlie Chaplin relaxed today on a court ordeal which brought his acquittal on charges of Mann Act violation, while red-haired Joan Berry, 24, his accuser, shrugged off the verdict with the comment:

"I hope he's happy. After all, I was just a witness."

### JAP PLANE BLOWN UP WHEN IT DIVES INTO BOMB PILOT DROPPED

\*ADVANCED SOLOMON ISLAND BASE, April 2.—(Delayed)

—(AP)—A Japanese Zero pilot who dropped an aerial phosphorous bomb at a Liberator formation near Truk overran the bomb and was blown to bits when it exploded.

Lieut. Col. Joseph C. Reddock, Laverne, Okla., who today led 13th AAF bombers to strike Dublon Island in the third Truk bombing in five days from Solomon's bases told the story.

"This Zero," Reddock said, "was in a vertical dive at us when he dropped his bomb. You know Zeros dive faster than bombs fall. He ran into his own bomb about a hundred yards above us. Pieces of his wreckage fell through our formations."

Those accompanying Reddock included Staff Sgt. Stephen J. Sedlock, 26, Canton, Ohio, nose gunner credited with downing a Zero.

### NEW COOLING FAN MADE FOR AIRCRAFT ENGINES

PATERSON, N. J., April 5.—(AP)—Development of a new cooling fan for air-cooled aircraft engines which increases the rate of climb, gross load, cruising speed and high altitude performance was announced today by the Wright Aeronautical Corp.

### SEEKS CUSTODY OF 21 MONTHS OLD GRANDSON

NEW YORK, April 5.—(AP)—Mrs. Lucille Burton, mother of slain Patricia Lonergan, plans to seek custody of her grandson, Wayne William, 21 months old, regardless of any moves by his father, Wayne Lonergan, now awaiting sentence for second degree murder, the New York Daily News said today.

## Ohioan Quicker On Draw Than Japs And Lives After Three Are Killed

BOUGAINVILLE, April 5.—(AP)—Major Ralph K. Halterman, 35, of Newark, O., is alive today—and three Japs are dead—because he's quick on the draw with a .45 revolver.

Halterman gained recognition back home for his skill with a shotgun—but here the .45 saved his life at least twice.

The major spotted his first Jap sneaking toward his tank outfit around an old log. He pulled his revolver and killed him—at 40 yards.

A few days later going down

## WISCONSIN PRIMARY IS PACED BY DEWEY

Willkie Trailing So Far Back He Can't Catch Up

MILWAUKEE, April 5.—(AP)—Mounting returns gave heavy leads today to 14 delegate candidates pledged to Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York in a Wisconsin presidential primary that saw Wendell L. Willkie go down to stunning defeat.

Delegates pledged to Lt. Commander Harold E. Stassen, formerly governor of Minnesota, ran strongly second to Dewey's, and delegates pledged to General Douglas A. MacArthur ran third, with Willkie in fourth place.

Incomplete but representative returns from each of the ten congressional districts showed all Willkie men running far behind, with virtually no chance of winning a single contest.

Wisconsin elected 24 delegates to the Republican National Convention, including four representing the state at large.

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a jungle trail with another major he ran head-on into five Japanese. The Ohioan, drawing with lightning-like speed, killed two of them with two shots. The other major blasted the remaining three with a Tommy gun.

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## JAP BASE IS DEVASTATED AND 288 PLANES SMASHED

### YANKS CONTROL AIR OVER PACIFIC

Enemy Drive from Burma Is Still Threat To India

(By the Associated Press)

One terrific swoop of 400 tons of bombs has pushed Hollandia's three airfields into the caldron of burned-out Japanese air bases which Allied planes keep stirring for 1,000 miles around the Bismarck Sea.

In one hour and a half Sunday, more than 300 Fifth Air Force planes set a record for concentrated devastation in the southwest Pacific by wiping out the last of a fleet of 288 enemy aircraft observed at that north New Guinea staging point, Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced today.

Below Hollandia, more than 3,000 tons of bombs in a series of recent raids have laid waste to four airfields around Wewak.

Further southeast, fields at Bogia, Alexishafen and Madang have suffered a similar fate.

And once-mighty Rabaul's five airfields are among those which Vice Adm. Aubrey W. Fitch has announced as completely knocked out on New Britain, New Ireland and Bougainville by his busy Solomons air arm.

General MacArthur's reports today also added one more to the growing series of punches that U. S. planes are giving Truk in the Carolines. At a cost of five Liberators, warehouse and wharf fires were started Sunday at Dublon in Truk atoll by 46 tons of explosives and from seven to nine of 60 Nipponese interceptors were downed. The crew of one Liberator was rescued by a destroyer.

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## Synthetic Gasoline Is Developed From Garbage--Sugar From Apples

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE

(By the Associated Press) CLEVELAND, April 5.—(AP)—

The United States has waiting around the corner, almost ready-made, a substitute for gasoline potentially twice as plentiful annually as all the gasoline used in America in 1941.

The substitute is methane, or marsh gas, and its sources are natural gas, petroleum, coal and sewage. Methane is a by-product of refining coal, or coal process-

ing and sewage disposal and can be made easily.

In a report to the American Chemical Society today, Dr. Gustav Engloff and Mary Alexander of the Universal Oil Products Co., Chicago, declared methane readily can be prepared to serve as a gasoline substitute.

Even if petroleum should dwindle there will still remain from other sources a large amount of methane gas. Further, Dr. Eng-

loff said, methane can be supplemented by other gases to run cars, as is being done in Europe and other parts of the world.

**Cars Run on Gas**  
There are half a dozen gases good for running autos, and 25,000 American trucks and buses, mostly on the Pacific coast, are already using one or another of these. The containers or tanks for gas fuel are, at present, heavy and cumbersome. This, Dr. Engloff asserted, is not a serious handicap for trucks and buses, but before gas could be used on passenger cars small, stout tanks would have to be developed to hold the highly compressed gases.

There are, he added, about 140,000 vehicles running on methane gas in Europe, largely in Germany.

Methane gas would reduce cost of lubrication and repairs because crankcase oil is not diluted, and there is practically no carbon deposit, Dr. Engloff stated.

Methane also could be used to run railroad locomotives, and at the same time to heat, air-condition, refrigerate and furnish cooking on trains.

There are no methane gallon figures available in the United States today. In Germany this gas has been sold for the equivalent of 41 cents a gallon for gasoline, in England for 50 cents.

**Sugar from Apples**  
The U. S. Department of Agriculture offered the country a new sweet, apple syrup, an amber liquid that is 65 percent sugar.

The syrup-making starts with ordinary apple juice, and any kind of apple will do. Chemical processes remove all the apple flavors, odors and jelly-making ingredients. Remaining is a syrup with no flavor except its extreme sweetness.

The syrup was developed in the eastern regional research laboratory, at Philadelphia. It was announced to the American Chemical Society by Doctors R. E. Buck, J. J. Willaman and H. H. Mottern.

The syrup comes in two forms, one for industry, with a slightly bitter after taste, and the other all-sweet, for table use. The industrial syrup already is on the market.

of Price Administration. Williams said AAA workers in the township offices were told their barns might be fired unless they quit their jobs and that a band awoke Fellers in his home at night and told him to quit "or else."

He added a field man from the state AAA office and investigated the incidents, which he said occurred about 10 days ago, and had made a complete report to department of justice of-

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## Age-Group System Used To Fill Draft Demands

WASHINGTON, April 5.—(AP)—

Selective Service resorted to an age-group system today to fill the High Command's requisitions for fighting men.

Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service director, outlined the new formula in a broadcast last night. Men under 26 will be taken first. Then, with progressively less strict requirements, the 26-29 group will be summoned, followed by those over 30.

Hershey also promised that his organization will "aid to the limit of its ability" in seeing that 4-F's who refuse to stay on their wartime jobs are made to pull their weight in the nation's fight. There are indications, he said, that "by legislative or administrative action or by both, means will be found to insure that they do necessary work."

Hershey said local draft boards will be instructed to balance the need for food against the critical demand for military manpower in weighing farm deferments.

**New Gags Condemned**  
Senator Johnson (D., Colo.) demanded a "severe reprimand be administered the officer who withheld news last summer of the 400 paratroopers who were lost when confused American gunners turned their fire on 23 U. S. transports.

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**LINDBERGH IS GIVEN IMMUNIZATION SHOTS**

**No Comment on Whether He Will Go Outside USA**

NEW YORK, April 5.—(AP)—Charles A. Lindbergh has received yellow fever immunization injections, such as those given persons going overseas, at Marine Hospital here, but available sources declined to say whether the aviator was planning a trip outside the country.

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**SUMMER-WINTER WEATHER HAUNTS EASTERN STATES**

NEW YORK, April 5.—(AP)—A mixture of summer and winter weather gave parts of New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania a thunderstorm today followed by a heavy snowfall.

The storm caused numerous traffic accidents, and in New York City three Rapid Transit lines reported train delays.

Two claps of thunder awakened New Yorkers before dawn. The heavy snowfall later caused thousands of commuters to be late to work, and forced commercial air lines to cancel flights.

**11,000 BERLINERS DEAD AFTER TWO AIR RAIDS**

STOCKHOLM, April 5.—(AP)—Eleven thousand Berliners were killed in the last two raids on the German capital, the Swedish newspaper Aftonbladet reported today in a story attributed to a diplomatic source with a wide knowledge of Berlin damage.

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## REDS POUNDING AT GATES WHILE CITIES BOMBED

Yanks Roar Back Over Blasted Europe as British Planes Return from Night Attack

(By the Associated Press)

Russian troops fought in the streets of Tranopol for possession of that Nazi strong hold today as field dispatches declared the Red army had all but wiped out the remnants of 15 surrounded German divisions in the Skala pocket west of Kamenets Podolsk and had launched new blows at Lwow and Odessa at opposite ends of the far-flung front.

Although there was a lull in the ground fighting in Italy, both in the Cassino area and at the Anzio beachhead, two Balkan capitals were still smoking after

**REDS HOLD TRAP GATE**  
LONDON, April 5.—(AP)—Russian troops cut the Germans' overland railway from Odessa today by capturing the junction of Razdelnaya, 40 miles northwest of the beleaguered Black Sea naval base.

American bomber attacks and the Red armies were still surging toward the troubled mountainous countries, as a Blue network broadcast from London picked up in New York quoted dispatches from Turkey as saying that Premier Antonescu of Rumania will seek an armistice from Washington, London and Moscow.

**Rumania Weakening**  
The network's correspondent, Thomas B. Grandin, said such a course had been urged upon the premier by an emissary he sent to Cairo to negotiate with the United Nations.

"The time is near when the Germans no longer will be able to hold the Balkans," Grandin said. "Nothing would be less surprising than a complete collapse of Rumania."

The Associated Press had no confirmation of the report, which came less than 24 hours after U. S. bombers had smashed at targets in Bucharest and while Russian troops were advancing only 200 miles northeast of the Rumanian capital.

Earlier the Berlin radio said Antonescu had issued a proclamation deploring the U. S. attack and calling upon his people to stand firm.

**Czechs Ready To Help**  
The Czechoslovak government in London has agreed with Russia, Britain and the United States on a plan for administering its territory as soon as military operations permit.

The Czech embassy was so advised today in a communication from London, which said a delegation of the government will go into Czechoslovakia liberated areas the moment the Red army command declares them behind-the-line.

The Red army is virtually at the Czech northeast border already, but first Allied troops to re-enter the country are to be an independent Czech brigade, the message said. Czech liaison officers also are to accompany Russian troops moving into their territory.

Czech Ambassador Vladimir Hruban pointed out President Edouard Benes already has appealed to Czech underground leaders to form small secret committees in every village and town to work with the returning government.

Czech guerrillas have established contact with advancing Russian forces, the London report said.

The plans for Czechoslovakia, which do not provide for any form of Allied military government, are at the other end of the scale of civil administration schemes from the program used in Italy.

They may serve as a model for other areas whose exiled governments have maintained a firm position.

**Allies Support Reds**  
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## THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

When the Japanese invaded the Manipur region of India from Burma recently this column said the operation didn't constitute a major threat to the Allies, but that it would be a mistake to treat it lightly.

Any leak in a dike is dangerous, no matter how small.

That still remains true, but public interest is growing in this determined enemy effort to bring off a coup. There's general complaint, however, that the mysteries of Burmese geography, and the multiplicity of battles, are confusing. Therefore as requested we offer a review of the position in as unnumbered terms as possible.

Let's start by making our own map. Just draw an isosceles triangle with a narrow apex and stand it on its base. That's Burma. Its base is washed by the Bay of Bengal. West of the upright is India. North of the tip is Tibet—but forget that. On the east is China (with French-Indo China and Siam, but don't bother about them.)

Now then, there are three main theatres. One is in the northern tip. The second is about half way down the western side—where the Mikado's men have crossed into India. The third is along the coast at the base.

The quarrel in the two upper theatres is mainly concerned with communications—China's lifeline. It's one of the vital phases of the war with Japan.

To understand this you must remember that when the Japanese overran Burma and cut the Burma Road, they severed this back-door land connection with China. That forced the Allies to resort to American air transport between India and China, and try to develop an alternate land route. For the latter they fell back on the railway, highway and river communications running north through India near the western Burmese border.

The railway ends at the town of Ledo, up near the tip of the triangle, from Ledo American engineers drove a highway into Burma, hoping in due course to run it clear across the tip to China so as to connect with the severed end of the Burma road which leads on to Chungking.

Well now, the fighting in the extreme northern theatre revolves about the Allied effort to oust the enemy so the Ledo Road can be extended. That's where Lt. General Joseph Stilwell, and Brigadier Frank Merrill, are battling. The main objective is the great Japanese base of Myitkyina, head of the railway that runs south clear to Rangoon on the coast. The Allies have this base surrounded, and the conflict is increasingly fierce.

In the second theatre, where the Japanese have crossed into India, they are aiming at the railway, about 75 miles from the border, and have covered about half the distance through the jungles. If they should cut the line they would raise havoc with Allied communications to China, since land and air transports are coordinated.

The fighting has been heavy and the invaders have suffered 9,000 casualties in the last three weeks. The British command expresses confidence in Allied ability to control the situation. There's no reason to doubt this estimate, though some nasty positions might develop. There probably are a minimum of 1,000,000 trained and armed troops in India, and strong American and British air forces, to handle any crisis. But of course we can't afford to have the China lifeline interfered with at this juncture.

The Japanese have another important objective in this drive. That's political. They claim the invasion is being made by the Indian Army of Freedom. They want to start a revolt in India against the English.

In the southern theatre on the

## ROTARIANS ARE IMPRESSED BY POULSTON HERE

Washington and Xenia Clubs Hold Joint Session at Country Club

In one of the most profitable and interesting meetings which the members of either club has attended in many a month, Rotarians of the Washington C. H. and Xenia clubs had dinner together at the Country Club here Tuesday night and listened to a message on Rotarianism from Harry D. Poulston of Lima which most of those present will long remember.

This joint meeting was the result of an attendance contest for the month of January which the Washington club won with four 100 percent meetings although the Xenia club came very close to the same total.

The Xenia Rotarians were to entertain Washington members but owing to difficulties of finding a satisfactory meeting place in their city they arranged to come to Washington and bring the speaker along.

Poulston is a comparatively young man with a remarkable personality and a record for service which is outstanding. He has served Rotary International as a director, district governor and national committee member. He is proprietor of the Poulston Drug Company of Lima, chairman of the Allen County Red Cross chapter, on the board of directors of the Ohio Society for Crippled Children, member of the state committee on youth activities, is active in nearly all important phases of civic progress organizations in Lima and has been prominent in Rotary International service for years.

After an excellent dinner and joint club singing under direction of Paul Fitzwater, President Halliday of the Washington Club introduced President Fred Casdorff of the Xenia organization and the latter presented Poulston as the speaker of the evening. Poulston is not of the oratorical type but his sincerity and broad understanding was so apparent and his words so heart-warming that no speaker ever heard in the Country Club has had closer or more sympathetic attention.

He told of the work being done by Rotary Clubs over many parts of the war-torn world, where meetings and service were being carried on under the most difficult and cruel conditions; he related the great unselfishness that was actuating many Rotarians in places where normal living was impossible and of the way these people were carrying on in a spirit of helpfulness to make real the Rotary slogan—"Service Above Self."

The speaker told how the lessons of Rotary were being lived by many representatives of this great organization in some places in a manner that demonstrated that the simple but effective teachings of Rotary had become a religion with them. This type of work, he declared, may mean more to future world peace, than anything else that can be done.

From the scores of incidents

coast the Allies are conducting an offensive from India to capture the powerful air base of Akyab. That must be in Allied hands before an amphibious invasion of Burma can be attempted.

## Mainly About People

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Caplinger announce the birth of a daughter, Tuesday, April fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Preston announce the birth of a son, Gerald Albert, Tuesday at their home on Paint Street.

## Weather

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT

DAILY TEMPERATURE CHART

Chalmers Burns, Observer

Low Tuesday night..... 20

Minimum Tuesday..... 20

Temp. 9 P. M. Tuesday..... 29

Maximum Tuesday..... 29

Precipitation, Tuesday..... 0.0

Minimum 8 A. M. Wednesday..... 26

Maximum this date 1943..... 55

Minimum this date 1943..... 26

Precipitation this date 1943..... .05

The Associated Press temperature

chart showing weather conditions

maximum yesterday and minimum last night.

Max. Min.

Albion, snow..... 30 20

Atlanta, clear..... 50 31

Bismarck, clear..... 43 24

Buffalo, snow..... 27 21

Chicago, pt. cloudy..... 32 21

Cincinnati, pt. cloudy..... 27 20

Cleveland, cloudy..... 33 25

Columbus, snow..... 35 26

Dayton, snow..... 33 21

Denver, pt. cloudy..... 38 24

Detroit, snow..... 22 24

Druid, clear..... 26 20

Fort Worth, pt. cloudy..... 32 18

Hartford, W. Va., pt. cloudy..... 23 14

Indianapolis, cloudy..... 33 21

Kansas City, clear..... 49 26

Los Angeles, clear..... 68 52

Louisville, clear..... 49 21

## UNION SERVICE ON GOOD FRIDAY HAS 4 PERIODS

'Jesus the Christ' Is Theme of Four Services at Grace Methodist

"Jesus the Christ" is the theme of the union Good Friday services to be held at Grace Methodist Church from 12 to 3 P.M. The three hour service, planned by the Fayette County Ministerial Association, has been divided into periods of 45 minutes each—a complete order of worship contained in each period.

The first period will include prayer by Mrs. E. A. Crosswhite, an anthem, "The Trees and the Master," by the First Presbyterian Church choir and a sermon, "Jesus Christ the Revealer of God" by Rev. R. Byron Carver. Rev. G. B. Parkin is to preside. Mrs. Ralph Gage is the organist.

Rev. H. B. Twining will deliver the sermon, "Jesus Christ the Savior," in the second period. Rev. C. P. Taylor is to offer prayer and the choir of Grace Methodist Church will sing the anthem, "For God So Loved the World." Rev. John K. Abernethy will preside and Miss Marian Christopher is the organist.

The third period, over which Rev. Carver will preside, includes a solo by Robert Browning, "The Lord's Prayer," prayer by Rev. L. A. Dahmer and the sermon, "Jesus Christ the Companion," by Rev. Abernethy. Miss Mary Elizabeth Wood is to be the organist.

"Jesus Christ the Victor" is the subject of the sermon in the fourth period, to be preached by Rev. Parkin. Rev. W. H. Wilson is to offer prayer and the North Street Church of Christ choir will sing the anthem. Mrs. Byron Carver is to be the organist and Rev. Twining will preside.

## PAINT F. B. COUNCIL PLANS FAIR EXHIBIT

Packing House Here Also Under Discussion

Paint Township Farm Bureau Council II will have a display of prize fruits and vegetables at the County Fair next summer, it was decided at the council meeting Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Riley. The project, to be made without competition for prizes, was fathered by Claude Zimmerman.

A vote against "fast" time was passed at the meeting, where post-war projects, such as a packing house, were discussed. C. H. Michael advocated waiting until the war was over to make plans, justifying his statement saying the ideas proffered now would be changed by that time.

W. W. Montgomery, guest at the council, told of the council forming projects throughout Ohio and discussed council work in his brief talk.

The educational committee reported on the March 24 meeting and also announced an open meeting of the council April 21.

Miss Clara Zimmerman read a

paper on "Flowers for the Farm Home." Several other papers scheduled for the meeting, were postponed until the next meeting, to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery were guests for the meeting and pot luck supper served before the program began.

## GRANGE AGAINST CHANGING TIME

Obligation of County Is Recognized, However

Good Hope Grange voted against a change from "slow" to "fast" time in this county at its meeting Tuesday night, but qualified its vote with the expressed belief that Fayette County would be obligated to change with all surrounding cities and towns on "fast" time.

Questionnaires distributed by the CED were filled in by members of the grange, who also voted to donate \$5 for the Red Cross.

Pomona Grange will meet in the Good Hope grange hall April 13 and officers of Good Hope Grange were appointed to act as the committee in charge.

Mrs. Loren Johnson, in charge of the lecture service, reviewed grange achievement goals for 1944 and discussed them. A poem, "The Typical Grange," was read by Mrs. Johnson.

Refreshment committee for the next meeting is Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rea, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Huchison, Mr. and Mrs. John York, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Acton and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Herdman.

Committee for the Tuesday night refreshments was Mr. and Mrs. John Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Eckle, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Garrison, Miss Minta Rowland and Miss Clara Rowland.

## ELLIS IS IN LINE FOR TITLE OF CHIEF

Jess Ellis, who has held the rank of captain and the position of acting chief of police since Jack Wolfe was removed from the job in July, 1941, will probably be given the full title of chief of police within a short time, following action of the court of appeals in sustaining the common pleas court, which had found against the former chief.

In a news story Tuesday, the word "now" was inadvertently carried "not" indicating that Captain Ellis probably would "not" be the chief, instead of saying that he is "now in line" for the post.

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## MRS. GARRINGER IN COLUMBUS HOSPITAL

Injured Woman Moved from Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Paul Garringer, seriously injured in an automobile accident near Nashville, Tenn., last week, when Jimmy Pollard, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Pollard, was fatally injured, was being removed to Mt. Carmel Hospital, Wednesday, the Hook ambulance being used to move her from the Union Station in Cincinnati, to the hospital.

Mrs. Garringer sustained a badly fractured upper jaw and other serious injuries. She will be operated upon at Mt. Carmel for the injuries, and will be confined to the hospital for many weeks.

## AAA RECORDS ARE BURNED BY FOES IN DARKE COUNTY OFFICES ARE BROKEN INTO

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ficers in Dayton.

Williams described the protesters as members or associates of "pressure groups" opposing recent requirements that AAA representatives pass on applications to the Office of Price Administration for gasoline rationing procedure but spokesmen

About two weeks ago a group appeared at the attorney general's office here and demanded action to prevent AAA participation in OPA gasoline rationing procedure but spokesmen for Atty. Gen. Thomas J. Herbert said his office lacked jurisdiction because it was a federal matter.



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Roy Ferguson, secretary of the Ohio Bakers' Association said the increase was permitted under OPA regulations which also require a proportionate increase in the weight of the loaf.

As a result, the popular 11-cent loaf which weighed 20 ounces, went to 12 cents and 22 ounces. By the arrangement the consumer "actually profits a fraction of a cent," Ferguson said.

Pennington Comments Robert Stiff, superintendent of the Pennington Bros., Inc., here, said most of their breads, which vary in weight and price, gained two ounces in weight and one cent in price under the new system which, he indicated, is adopted by large bread companies throughout the state.

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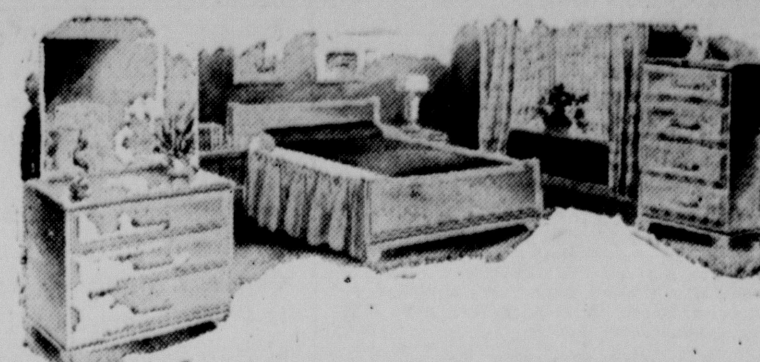
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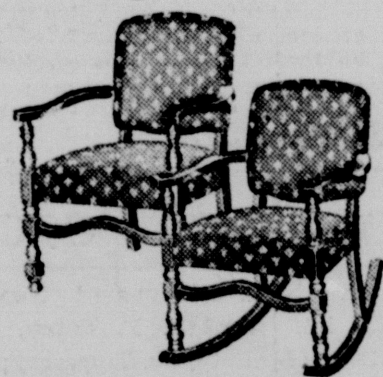


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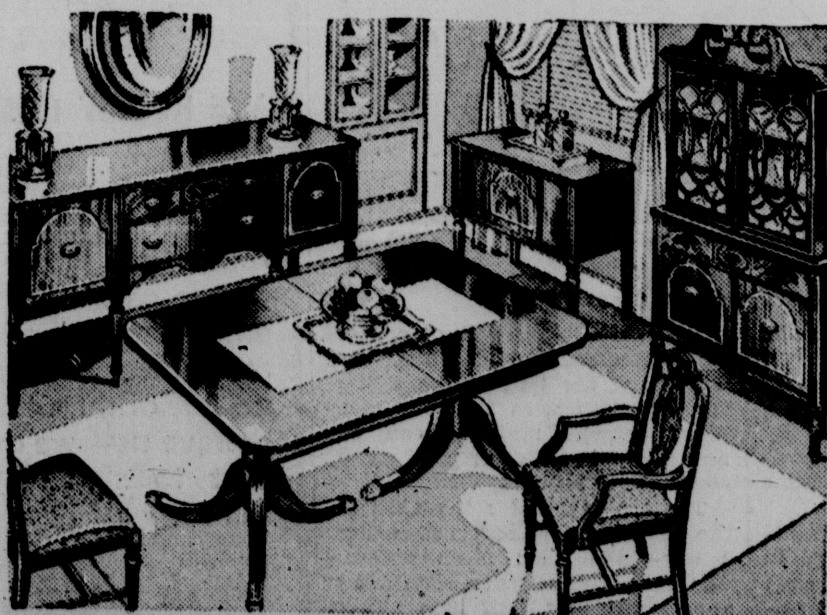
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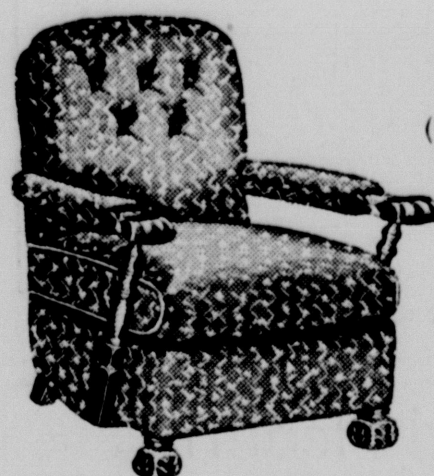
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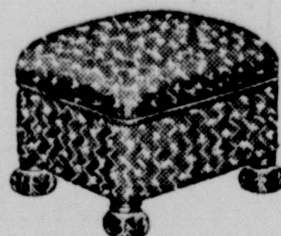
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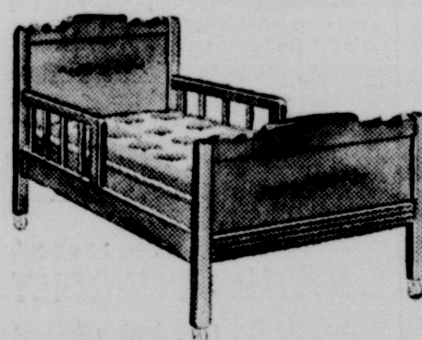
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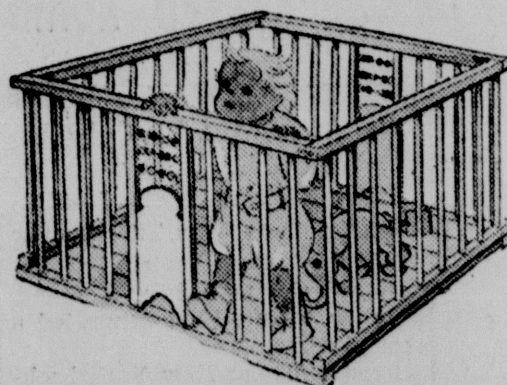
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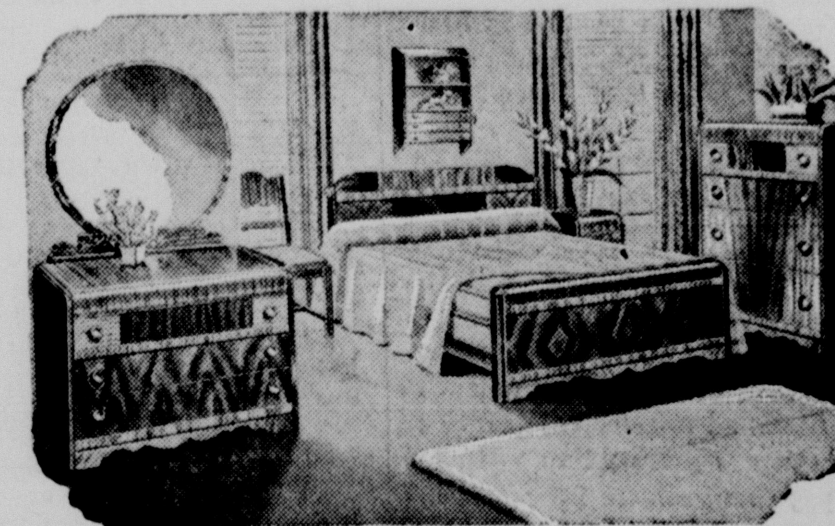


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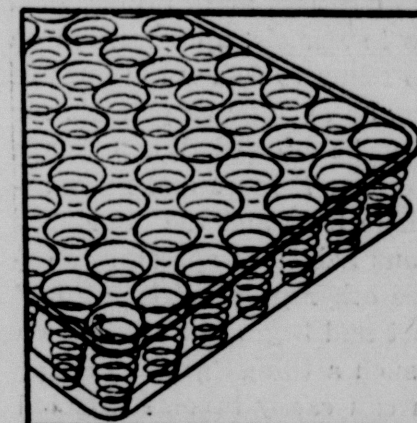
If you have not paid our store a visit and priced our bedroom furniture, then ask your neighbor who has.

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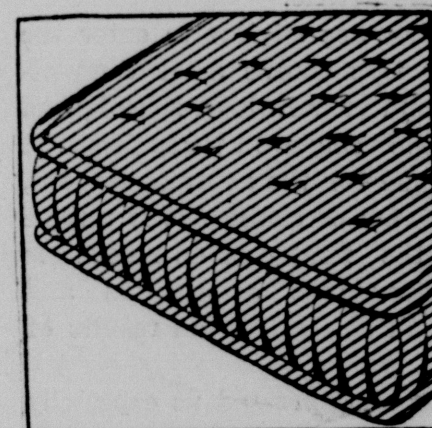


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Flashes of Life

500-pound Bomb Only a Lullaby  
CAPE GLOUCESTER—The worst a Japanese bomber could do couldn't rob a couple of Marines of their sleep, reports Sgt. H. Barr, Marine Corps combat correspondent.  
The air raid sirens sounded, but before Pvt. Charles A. Pitre of Lake Charles, La., and Pvt. Charles I. Piffer of New Castle, Colo., could make it to their foxhole a 500-pound bomb exploded only 20 feet away.  
Half covered with debris, they brushed themselves off, crawled back into their hammocks and went to sleep again.

Rationed Fire Chief Would Ration Fires  
MT. MORRIS, Pa.—Fire Chief Fred J. Lemley has appealed to citizens to take extraordinary precautions to prevent brush fires.

The manpower shortage and gasoline rationing, he said, make it difficult to get enough volunteer firemen to the firehouse to comply with a state law requiring at least five firemen aboard the truck before it rolls.

Hawaiian Bug Busters  
HONOLULU—Hawaiian Victory Gardeners have banded together and appointed one of their number a "dust and spray warden" in each district. His job is to be on the alert for bug invaders and sound the alarm for a spraying black-out.

Grab Bag

- One-Minute Test
1. Who wrote "Westward Ho"?
  2. Who wrote "Sonnets from the Portuguese"?
  3. Who was the author of the quotation, "The paths of glory lead but to the grave"?

Words of Wisdom

The worst education that teaches self-denial is better than the best that teaches everything else and not that.—J. Sterling.

Hints on Etiquette

When other people are rude, pushing, etc., it does not help matters for you to make remarks aloud about them. Better keep quiet or "pour oil on trouble waters" with some good-natured remark.

Today's Horoscope

You have been endowed with strength and fortitude. Cultivate them. You have a magnetic personality and the qualities of a good leader. Your home life is dear to you, but petty things irritate you. Strive to be less whimsical and fickle. An elder or stranger may cause you great sorrow or disappointment in the next few months, but gain will come of it. Watch your own health and that of your feminine relatives. Born today a child will be somewhat critical, but methodical, painstaking, discriminating and generally fortunate. Success as a literary critic or writer is foreseen.

One-Minute Test Answers

1. Charles Kingsley.
2. Elizabeth Barrett Browning.
3. Thomas Gray in his "Elegy."

efficient foundation to acquire what ever education he desires except in some special subjects. The longer we live the more we appreciate that in school a person gets only the foundation of an education; that to be well educated is a life time job. The most important thing a person can learn in school is to learn to think. If he learns that, he has the sound foundation for a good education and for living a useful and successful life. Without knowing how to think he will accomplish little.

A New York department store has built a 70-foot barn on one of its floors, and is selling cattle, pigs, sheep, goats and donkeys. Care is presumably being taken to protect them at night from those Broadway wolves that seem to be so plentiful.

Judging from what they give and no matter how little they have given some persons "have given until it hurts" and this is true no matter how rich they are.

There is one thing we have learned from this war. The Russians have captured more towns than we even dreamed were in Russia or for that matter in the world.

LAFF-A-DAY



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Diet and Health

Disease Treatment Wisely Classified

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

ONE of the most philosophical, by which I mean wisest, and most mature medical books of our time is "The Art of Treatment," by Dr. William R. Houston. I keep a

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

copy permanently on my book case shelves. Other textbooks come and go on those shelves, but that and a very few others stay year after year. I take it down in my contemplative and relaxed moods and always find it interesting and thought provoking.

One particular general lesson it has for both physician and layman is the way it classifies methods of treatment for various diseases.

The average patient goes to the doctor and demands—"What will I take for this?"—expecting the answer to be (1) a small box of pills which he takes three times a day; he has some idea that after he swallows the pill it explodes inside and when enough explosions have occurred he is cured. Or (2) a list of foods he must not eat and when he has not eaten them long enough the disease is purged and he is a new man and he may go out and seek whatever he wishes to devour. Or (3) a course of baths and massage. Or (4) a temporary change of climate. Or (5) extra vitamins.

Well, consider as a contrast to that conception, one of Dr. Houston's headings:

Diseases which impose a limitation upon life as a Condition of Treatment.

Ouch! that hurts. Nobody wants to impose a limitation on his life or activities. But you see it is a "Condition of Treatment." If you want to be comfortable, if you want to give the disease the least chance, you will have to rearrange your habits. Nature is very imperious sometimes. That is one of her requirements.

The conditions that Dr. Houston lists as demanding a limitation of life as the necessary of treatment are: obesity, heart disease, aortic aneurysm, hardening of the arteries and high blood pressure, chronic tuberculosis, chronic bronchitis and old age.

Another group is that of "patients who are to be treated chiefly by nursing care." Here are listed

most of the common disorders such as colds, influenza, acute fevers, measles, most of the diseases of the nervous system, such as nervous breakdowns and states of exhaustion.

Then there are the diseases in which the treatment is purely tentative and experimental. What is good for one patient may not work on another and vice versa. So here the personal equation of the doctor is paramount. A doctor who has a treatment in which he has complete confidence is the best one to go to. You never can judge the treatment by what the patients say about it. Half of them are wildly enthusiastic and say—"He cured me when everybody else failed"; and half say—"The treatment is a fake and doesn't do any good at all." In this group is listed arthritis, asthma, allergic disorders, neuralgias and muscular rheumatism, some skin diseases—such as psoriasis, eczema, dermatitis and ringworm—and those diseases in which the diagnosis is uncertain.

You see the diseases that can be cured by a specific, in which the doctor can answer definitely to the question—"What shall I do for this?" by giving a single simple remedy, are in the minority. They include the infections for which the sulfonamides, or penicillin or antitoxins, or serums can be given, those treated by a specific diet as in diabetes, and some disorders remedied by surgery.

LENTEN REDUCING DIET

By Dr. Clendening

Thursday—500 Calories BREAKFAST

- ½ grapefruit—no sweetening.
  - 3 tablespoons cornflakes. No sugar, ¼ cup whole milk.
  - 1 cup coffee—no cream or sugar.
- LUNCHEON
- 1 cup cream of tomato soup—made with milk.
  - 1 slice whole wheat toast or 2 soda crackers—no butter.
  - 1 cup tea—no cream or sugar.
- DINNER
- 1 broiled kidney.
  - 2 tablespoons green beans—no butter.
  - 1 slice whole wheat toast—thin—no butter.
  - 1 baked apple—no sweetening, no cream.
  - 1 cup coffee—no cream or sugar.
  - 1 cup clear consommé if desired.

Looking Back in Fayette County

Five Years Ago  
Youngsters in city of pre-school age to be examined before entering first grade soon.

Ten Years Ago  
Eighty persons will begin work here Monday under the F.E.R.A.

Fifteen Years Ago  
New high school to be constructed at New Holland.

Twenty Years Ago  
Will of Nettie C. Chaffin leaves bulk of estate to erecting church in Cincinnati.

Twenty-five Years Ago  
Police equipped with uniforms and will be required to wear

them from now on.

Benton Garringer land of 300 acres in Eber community brings \$104.25 per acre.

LANA AND STEVE ARE SEPARATED AGAIN  
Sweater-girl Turner Says She And Crane Are Out

HOLLYWOOD, April 5—(AP)—Screen actress Lana Turner, who glamorized the sweater, has announced she and her husband, Stephen Crane, have separated a second time.

Crane, former New York broker and now a film actor, and Miss Turner were married July 17, 1942. She obtained an annulment of the marriage the following February 3, shortly after announcing she was expecting a child. Miss Turner asserted Crane's divorce from his first wife had not yet become final.

Crane and Miss Turner were remarried before the child was born last July 25.

KILLED BY TRAIN  
CINCINNATI, April 5—(AP)—A southbound freight train struck and killed Thomas Reardon, 70, of Glendale, retired employee of the old Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad.

A Model is Murdered ~ BABS LEE

CHAPTER FORTY-ONE

"I want some one to answer that phone now," said Argus, "just as Syria did when she came home alone on Monday night."

"That would be a pleasure," volunteered Carstairs Sr. He made a move toward the instrument. Argus wheeled around.

"Just a minute, Mr. Carstairs," he said. "Not so fast. Mr. Flagg, you're the only one present who hasn't either offered to answer it or remarked upon its incessant ringing. Since it doesn't seem to bother you as much as the rest, supposing you play Syria's part." Flagg hesitated. "What's the matter?" said Argus. "Don't you want to play dead?"

"Why—er—why, of course." The model agent started toward the phone. Argus watched him.

"Brrr—brrr—brrr..."

"No, Mr. Flagg," said Argus. "You're standing too far to one side. I want you to stand directly in front of it, just as Syria did when she was shot."

Flagg extended his hand toward the phone. It was shaking like a leaf.

"Go on—pick it up!" Argus commanded, his voice sharp. "I'm trying to conduct an experiment here."

Flagg looked around nervously and licked his lips.

"Afraid to pick it up?" the detective asked. "You don't dare! You know how Syria Verne was shot—exactly how—and so do I. You know because you killed her!"

"No—no!" Flagg gasped. "No... no, I didn't!"

"You were here on Monday night at six o'clock. You were the man in the red beard. It was you who took the trouble to mount a gun in that air-conditioning machine and install it behind the telephone in the bookcase. Then you fixed the phone so it would ring all night if necessary, by using the telephone tester's secret number."

Argus' voice was harsh and rasping. It shook Flagg like a terrier shakes a rat.

"Brrr—brrr—brrr..."

"No!" Flagg shrieked, his voice breaking. "No, I tell you! I didn't do it! You're crazy!" His eyes were staring and he was breathing with difficulty.

"All right, go ahead and pick up that receiver then," demanded Argus. "What are you scared of? Listen, Flagg, you're not kidding me. We found your hideout on Third Avenue, where you built the murder machine. On the floor were some bits of glass that came from a watch crystal. The same watch you said you'd left home when Ellen asked you the time on Tuesday morning. But you'd left it in a jewelry store on Madison Avenue to be repaired."

"It's a lie!" protested Flagg. "That's no evidence!" He turned imploring eyes in the direction of Inspector Grange.

"You were in love with Syria Verne," Argus persisted, "and you were jealous. You had built her up from nothing to a potential movie

star. But Syria was trifling with you. Carstairs came along with his five-thousand-dollar check and—"

"No! It's not true, I tell you!" Flagg was choking.

"We found your hideout in New Jersey where you and she spent week ends. And Inspector Grange discovered that the wire and the string used in the machine came from there. Oh, you were clever! You didn't expect that the police would discover how Syria had been murdered. But, if they did and they learned how the machine worked, you knew they would try to find out who had telephoned her. You hoped they'd go on the theory that the murderer actually had to telephone Syria, once the machine was set. So you worked out what you hoped would be a perfect alibi for yourself. You played poker the night of the murder and you were only too eager to have me check with your friends and discover that you had made no phone calls that night."

"At first I thought this divorced you from the case—until I learned that Syria Verne subscribed to the phone answering service known as the Leave Word Service. The night she was shot she had instructed them to take all calls for her until midnight. But I checked with them and they had received no calls for her number that night. I thought that was very strange because I happened to know several people had telephoned Syria. I thought perhaps the line was out of order. I knew the receiver couldn't have been left off the hook or the gun in the air-conditioner wouldn't have gone off. Yet, according to all reports, Syria's line had been busy for many hours during the evening. Then I realized how the murderer had accomplished his end." Argus paused.

"Brrr—brrr—brrr..." On and on went the phone.

"You, Mr. Flagg, used the line-man's number that he uses when he tests a phone bell. It is purely a mechanical procedure and doesn't require the attention of any central operator of the phone company. You dialed that special number, waited for the click and then dialed 5. You replaced the receiver and the phone commenced to ring. Just as it is doing now. And it continued to ring on and on until Syria answered it at midnight. Thus you could go home and play poker and have your alibi about not making any phone calls all evening. You knew that phone would ring until Syria returned home and answered it—and got shot. You admitted to Ellen and myself that you knew Syria had a date with Pierre that night. You were the only suspect who knew in advance she would not be home. That, coupled with your water-tight alibi, convinced me that you were responsible for her death."

"And I suppose I shot myself, too," Flagg sneered.

"No," said Argus. "I'm coming to that. First let's clear up the murder of Cynthia Lane. She came to see Syria on Monday night. She

knew of Syria's relationship with Carstairs, Sr. and she intended to use this knowledge to get Syria to intercede with him to get her a lucrative modeling job. But she saw you coming out of Syria's apartment, instead. Even though you were disguised as Redbeard, you were afraid she might have pierced the disguise and put two and two together when she read about Syria's death the next day. Whether she knew for certain or not, you felt she was a menace to your safety. So you sent that phony message to yourself at the fashion show, killed her, ducked out the unmarked door, and turned up with an alibi.

"But Pierre Sturgis saw that piece in the paper about Redbeard buying his whiskers at 29th Street and Fourth Avenue. His engravers had offices in that location and he must've seen you at that neighborhood last Thursday. That set him to thinking. Foolishly enough, he got in touch with you and told you of his suspicions. You arranged to meet him at your hideout on Third Avenue and discuss it. But Sturgis surprised you and arrived with a gun. You two had a fight and Sturgis wounded you. Then you wrested the gun from him and killed him. You set his watch ahead so that you could establish an alibi for that particular time."

"Then you went to his studio to remove any incriminating evidence he might have. But you passed out in his studio from loss of blood before you could make your getaway, and Ellen found you. You made a mistake, though, when you got some blood on the corner of one of the letters."

Argus paused. There was a dead silence in the room except for the ringing of the phone.

"Now, by heavens," he said, "you pick up that receiver and—and I'll prove how Syria Verne was killed." The detective seized Flagg's trembling arm.

"No!" shouted Flagg.

Argus pushed him bodily in front of the phone, until the model agent was in direct line with the air-conditioning machine. Flagg gasped and tore at his collar. The veins in his forehead were distended. He looked about with a maniacal leer. Suddenly he broke loose from Argus' grasp.

"All right!" he screamed in a high pitch. "I did it—I did it!" Then he put out his hand for the phone.

"I'll take my own medicine, too! You won't take me alive!" He lifted the receiver. The report of a gun thundered in the apartment. Flagg fell to the floor. The phone stopped ringing. Dorry screamed.

"He's dead!" some one yelled.

"He's not dead, unless he died of fright," said Argus. "All right, Inspector, he said wearily. "Take him away. I'll give you the details later. He's not been shot. That was a blank cartridge."

(To be concluded)

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Still 'Fightin' Irish,' Though at Peace

LONDON—Ask almost any Irishman you meet in Britain if he wants Eire to enter the war—and the answer is a positive "No."

Irishmen are probably more united behind Eire's policy of neutrality than they have ever been before. Although precise figures are not available, many people estimate that Eire produces four or five times as many volunteers for the British forces as Northern Ireland, which as part of the British Commonwealth is actually at war.

One test by which Eire's contribution by individuals may be judged is in the number of Victoria Crosses awarded in this war. When the mother of Dick Kelliher received the news in Ballybeggan County Kerry, that her sixth son had won that most coveted award in New Guinea, she was told he was the seventh native of Eire to win the V. C. this war. Of the dominions only Australia has won more—12.

The exploits of these heroes are so moving that they cannot be passed off as examples of Irishmen spoiling always for a

fight. The old gag—"Is this a private fight or can I join in?" won't quite cover the motives of these volunteers. Motives are often mixed, but Britain will remember the record of Irishmen in this war, as they do the 49,300 killed in World War I, who are commemorated in Dublin.

The first Victoria Cross awarded to a member of the R. A. F. in this war was to an Irishman—Flying Officer Donald E. Garland, born at Ballincor, Co. Wicklow.

In June, 1940, he piloted the leading aircraft in a formation attacking a bridge over the Albert Canal on which the Germans were advancing into Belgium. All the crew had volunteered for this low-altitude job, and only one returned safely.

Maj. Harold M. Ervine-Andrews, born in county Wexford, won one of the first two Army V. C.'s in July, 1940, at Dunkirk. Capt. J. J. B. Jackson, from Dun Laoghaire, Co. Dublin, was awarded the V. C. in November, 1941, at Ed Duda.

The British Navy has two Irish

V. C.'s; one of them Capt. Edward S. F. Fegan, from Ballinunty, Co. Tipperary; commander of the armed merchantman Jervis Bay in her historic action in defense of a convoy in the North Atlantic. The other was Lieutenant-Commander Eugene Esmond, from Lough Derg, who set off with a squadron of Naval planes to attempt to stop the Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Prinz Eugen in their dash through the English Channel in 1942. Not one of the planes returned.

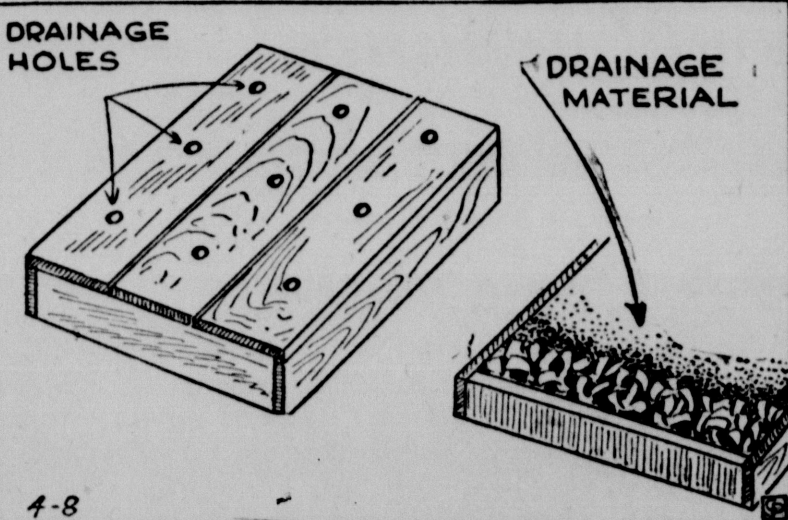
Last year 22-year-old Tipperary-born Lance-Corp. John Patrick Keneally won his Victoria Cross in Tunisia for gallantry on two occasions.

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Starting the Victory Garden Indoors

By DEAN HALUDAY  
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MOST VICTORY gardeners like to "jump the season." This cannot always be done outdoors, especially if a wet spring makes it impossible to work the soil early. By starting some seeds indoors, however, several weeks' growing time can be gained.

Seed flats used for indoor planting should have holes drilled in the bottom, four inches apart each way, as illustrated in the accompanying Garden-Graph. To further

assist drainage a layer of coarse material should be placed on the bottom of the flat, before filling the container with the seed soil. This drainage material can be broken pieces of flower pots, small stones or gravel.

The top layer of soil placed in the flat should be screened, using a one-fourth inch mesh screen. The final soil surface should be approximately a half inch below the rim of the flat.

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Washington at a Glance

By JACK STINNETT

WASHINGTON—In spite of the publicized claims of both Democratic and Republican leaders here and elsewhere about the significance of the Democratic by-election congressional victory in Oklahoma's second district, it's just as well not to pay too much attention to it in reading your guesses on what will happen in November.

In the first place, it's part of the game to try to make political hay out of everything that happens. The Republicans, quite confident and even a little cocky about the way special congressional elections have been going in their favor, thought they saw an opportunity of giving the opposition the worst black eye it has received to date. They introduced national issues. Sen. Ed Moore, Tulsa Republican and vigorous New Deal foe, and Sen. W. Lee "Pappy" O'Daniel, Texas Democrat, but bitter opponent of the administration, went out to campaign for the Republican candidate, E. O. Clark. The

Democrats rose to the bait and none other than Senate Majority Leader Alben Barkley took the field for Democratic candidate William G. Stigler.

I imagine Messrs. Clark and Stigler were a little confused by it all, although the latter is a veteran campaigner and knows enough not to be surprised at anything. I have a hunch the voters in Oklahoma's second district were a little confused, too, and perhaps even a little resentful of their private political ruckus being made into national political free-for-all.

The longer one watches Congress, the more he realizes that a representative is elected on personal and local equations. He may be riding the tail of the wrong kite, but in other than national elections when the turnout at the polls is always the greatest and the tendency of a majority is to vote a straight ticket, that won't count nearly so much as a man's campaigning ability, personality,

political machine and power of appeal to the special interests in his district. Oklahoma's second district has gone Republican only once in its history and that in a Republican landslide year. It has gone Democratic by a majority of nearly 20,000. Stigler is an experienced campaigner; Clark wasn't.

The only significance in the election, if there was any at all, wasn't that the Democrats won; but that the Republicans, after making a national issue of it, didn't.

Before I considered this election a straw in the wind I would like to know the candidates and the local appeal to the people in their district.

I know a representative from Michigan who is going to have a powerful campaign crowbar at the polls this fall because he has fought tooth and nail to get OPA to raise the ceiling price on mint oil.

Others get elected because they represent farmers, oil men, cattlemen, silver miners, or labor.



## PLACEMENTS BY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE HEAVY

Total of 220 Persons Are Given Jobs Through USES Office

During the month of March the U. S. Employment service office at this point placed 220 persons, or a new high record for the office, which has also made a new record for the first three months of this year.

Last year 178 were placed in March, and in 1942 only 45, while the previous year, 1941, the number was 47.

So far this year 346 placements have been made by the office here, Manager Ward Miller stated and most of these were sent to the Aeronautical 'Products, Inc., as war plant workers.

For instance 159 out of the 220 placed in March went to the API plant.

The gain in placements the first three months this year over those placed in jobs during the first three months last year is 23 percent.

February placements this year were 209 compared with 170 for the same month last year and for January the number this year was 156 compared with 127 for January last year.

Not since April has the office here placed any farm workers, as these are handled through the agency of the County Agricultural Agent and War Labor Commission, of which John Leland is the chairman.

Offices of the U. S. Employment Service in this city are located on Market Street, next to the corner room in the former Sharp Memorial building.

### New Martinsburg

**Personals**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Creamer are announcing the birth of a daughter, born Wednesday, March 22, at their home near Washington C. H., formerly of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lynch, of Toronato, Canada, are announcing the birth of a son born March 16th. Mrs. Lynch is the former Dorothy Wilson, of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Happy Wilson and son, Dale Edward, Mrs. Maggie Ritter and Mrs. Robert Ritter spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Pearly Wilson and son, Ernest, of near Gahanna.

Mrs. Bessie Rowe was a shopping visitor in Columbus, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hart and their houseguests, Mr. and Mrs. Mayo Young and two sons were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee King, of near Wilmington C. H., Saturday.

Mrs. Lucy Smith left Thursday for St. Cloud, Minnesota, where she will visit with her son, Pfc. James Smith, who is stationed there.

Mr. and Mrs. James Purtell moved Tuesday from the Simmons property to the Robert Cockerill farm and Mrs. Roberta Woodland moved last week to Wilmington. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hart from the Wilson property to the Pearly Wilson farm last week and Mrs. Elbert Simmons to the property vacated by James Purtell.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McCoy and Mrs. Cora Simbro had as their dinner guest Tuesday, Mrs. Berta Wilson.

Mrs. Ida Stienhouwer spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Ruth Smith.

### BRITISH WAR CASUALTIES

**NOW AMOUNT TO 667,159**

LONDON, Apr. 5—(P)—British Empire casualties in the first four years of war were 667,159, including 158,741 killed, Prime Minister Churchill announced in Commons today.

He listed 159,219 wounded, 78,204 missing, and 270,885 prisoners of war during the 48 months.

Churchill said civilian casualties in the United Kingdom for the four years were 109,101, including 49,730 killed and 59,371 wounded sufficiently to be hospitalized.

In pre-war days, the ratio of dentists to population was about one to 1,850 in the United States.

### A Local Citizen Felt Like Swollen Balloon; Full of Stomach Gas

Recently, a Washington C. H. man stated that he used to feel like a swollen balloon after every meal. He would bloat full of gas and spit up acidulous liquids for hours after eating. Was terribly constipated. This man is one of hundreds in this vicinity who now praise ERB-HELP. He states he was amazed at the results when he took this medicine. Now he eats what he wants without gas or bloating, and bowels are regular for the first time in years. He feels like a new man.

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## Sabina Community

### Returns from Hospital

Billy Beam returned from St. Anthony Hospital, Columbus, Sunday evening, after undergoing a successful goitre operation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beam, his parents, went to Columbus and spent the day and accompanied him home.

### Fred Rhonemus Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rhonemus and daughter, Ethel Ann and Janet, entertained at their country home Sunday with a delightful potluck dinner party, honoring Fred Rhonemus of Springfield, who is leaving soon to enter service in the navy.

Those present to enjoy the day with him were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rhonemus and son of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Daily and daughter, Sara Lenora, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mobley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Beas and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Flint of Wilmington, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Daily of Lynchburg, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rhonemus and daughter, Pauline and son, Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Rhonemus and son, Michael, of Bainbridge and Mrs. Mildred Dailey of New Vienna.

### At Home On Furlough

Waldo E. Brown, seaman first class, arrived home for a four days furlough with his wife, Mrs. Brown and his mother, Mrs. Bert Bell, from New York City.

Seaman Brown has seen duty in Sicily, Italy and Africa since going overseas.

### Brother-in-law Passes Away

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sessler were called to Jamestown Sunday, by the death of their brother-in-law, Mr. Frank Whittington, who passed away at 1:40 A. M. Sunday. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon.

### Maurice Porter Recovers

Friends of Maurice Porter will be happy to know that he has sufficiently recovered at Stillwater Sanatorium, Dayton, to be able to return to his former home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Glass.

### Teen-Age Dance

More than one-hundred teenage young people from Wayne, Reesville, Conner and Sabina schools, assembled at the Masonic Banquet Hall Tuesday evening and enjoyed the fortnightly dance. These are sponsored and chaperoned by a group of the parents, with recorded music by name bands.

### Friends' Ladies Aid

The Ladies Aid Society of the Friends Church met Wednesday at 2 P.M. (E.W.T.) April 5, with Mrs. P. M. Webb.

Co-hostesses were Mrs. Lucille Pendry, Mrs. Marvin Daugherty and Mrs. E. R. Mills.

### Supper Honors Mr. and Mrs. Case

The Advisory Council No. 14 held a delightful potluck supper at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilson Tuesday evening.

The delicious baked ham supper was served in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Case, who recently moved to their newly purchased farm near Bowersville.

Following the delightful supper hour, Mr. Case, as chairman, conducted the business hour. Mr. A. N. Simmons, discussion leader, brought forth various topics, which interested all present. Mrs. Case, educational leader, gave a report of the meeting she had attended at Wilmington. The new stockyards east of Wilmington, were also up for discussion.

Recreational leader, Mrs. Frank Payve, presented a contest, "Trees," which was won by Mrs. Herman Snider.

Those present with the honor guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Snider, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Waddle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payve and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wilson.

### Birthday Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riley and children entertained with a delightful dinner party at their home in Columbus, honoring the birthday anniversary of Coxswain Waldo E. Brown of New York City.

Coxswain Brown is a brother of Mrs. Riley, and others present with the honor guest were Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Mabel Bell of Sabina.

### Dr. Rankin Dies

Mr. T. J. Rankin of Sabina has received word of the death of his brother, Dr. George Rankin at Paris, Ky., Friday.

Dr. Rankin, aged 67, was a fine physician and was well liked by all who knew him, and had a large practice. He had been ill with pneumonia, but had recovered and while going about visiting his patients Friday evening dropped dead on the street.

Due to illness in the home, no one from the family were able to attend the large funeral which was held in Paris, Ky., last Sunday.

### Personals

Mr. Wayne Stauffer of Sabina, was taken severely ill Thursday evening and on Friday was removed to University Hospital at Columbus. He was suffering from spinal meningitis, but is reported slightly improved the first of this week.

Dr. Carey Persinger spent Sunday with Dr. Cecil Roger Hays, who recently returned to America aboard the ship Gripsholm, who is now at the home of his brother, Orland Hays in Washington C. H.

Mr. Homer Fannon, who is manager of the Kroger Store here spent Sunday with Mrs. Fannon in Lebanon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goodrich have returned from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Beelman at Willard, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Haines are spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McVey near New Vienna. Mr. McVey, who has been quite ill is improving.

Miss Kathryn Walls, of London, spent the week end with Miss Doris Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Magee, of

Wilmington, were Sunday evening guests of Sabina friends and attended the Easter Cantata at the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Paul M. Bernard and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Holmes spent the day Wednesday in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and daughter of Dayton, were Thursday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Kelso.

Mrs. A. J. Darbyshire left Friday for a week end visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Badger and son, Robert, in Middletown.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Williams were in Columbus Thursday and attended the executive meeting of Ohio State WCTU. Rev. Williams was speaker on the program.

Miss Jean Morris, student at Miami University, Oxford, came Thursday to spend the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris.

Mrs. Gail Wolfe returned Friday from a visit with her mother, Mrs. Betty Renoe, who has been quite ill at her home in Rainsboro.

Mrs. Allie Manker remains quite ill at the residence of Mrs. Charles Williamson on College Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Plymire spent the week end in Norwood with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Keller and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Langdon of Cincinnati, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. William Payve.

Mrs. Wayne Stauffer and son, Warren, visited Sunday with Mr. Stauffer at University Hospital, Columbus.

Mrs. A. J. Darbyshire and Miss Doris Harrison visited Sunday with Mrs. Raymond Smith and infant daughter, Rose Anne, who is now at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Carter, in Lebanon.

Miss Kathryn Walls, of London, who is now attending Wilmington College and Glen Pollard, also of Wilmington College, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Pollard.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Raymond Smith and infant daughter, Rose Anne, in Lebanon.

Mrs. Earl Morris and daughter, Miss Jean, were business visitors in Washington C. H., Monday.

Mrs. James Curry, of Washington C. H., spent the day, Friday, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bennett.

Cpl. James Matson and Mrs. Matson came from Camp Blanding, Fla., for a ten day furlough with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Matson and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Langdon in Cincinnati. They left Wednesday morning for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Langdon.

Robert Stewart and his mother, Mrs. F. M. Stewart, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kerr in Dayton. Mrs. Stewart remained and will spend the week with her daughter, Mrs. Kerr.

Mrs. Blanche Shoop, who has been ill, is reported greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Matson received word from their son, Sgt. Kenneth Matson, Friday, that he is now seeing service in New Guinea.

Capt. and Mrs. James Dupler

### Daily Dozen Gal,



ADD TO LIST of service camp glamor gals name of Barbara Chambliss, who has been selected by Army physical instructors as the girl they would like best to accompany them at morning exercises. The photographer added a few other contestants to the photo, taken at Cypress Gardens, Fla. (International)

will come from Detroit this week end, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Payve.

Tommy Flint, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbie Flint, is quite ill at the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rankin of Mt. Sterling spent Sunday with their parents, Mrs. H. C. Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Yeazel of Zanesville, visited Sunday with Mrs. Alice Yeazel who is improving from her recent accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stackhouse and daughters, Judy and Janet, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson, were among those who attended the Shriners' Circus at Dayton, Saturday.

Mrs. Ona Smith, who has been with her son, Capt. Robert Smith, at Ft. Ringgold, Texas, the past several weeks, will return by the way of Oklahoma and visit with relatives in that state.

Mr. G. E. Waddell is now in Texas, where he has gone for his health.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fred Kelso were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Dalton in Xenia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Johnson and son, Merle, of Springfield, came Saturday and visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Johnson and family.

In the 18th century in France every window was taxed.

### Danville News

Miss Nellie Wright called on relatives Sunday, near Mt. Sterling.

Mike Cantwell still remains in very poor health.

Connie Peters, of Lafayette, has returned home after a pleasant

visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anthony. Miss Dorothy Van Dyke, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Betty Lambert and family, near South Solon.

Nancy Shumate is absent from school on account of illness. Mrs. Kathleen Marrah, of Dayton, spent the weekend with

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tope. Elmer Wilson, who is employed at Dayton, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wilson.

Rural deaths in 1943 decreased 23 per cent as compared with 1942.

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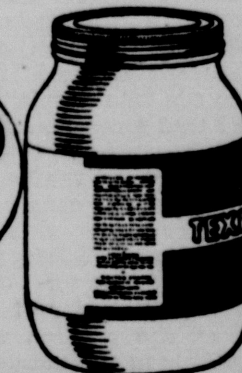
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# +—Social Happenings—Personals—News of Interest to Women—+

## Following Message Received From National President of League of Women Voters

The Fayette County League of Women Voters has received the following message from the national president of the league, Marguerite M. Wells, who goes into detail about the approaching election and the necessity of keeping it from developing into "mere political maneuvering and party rivalry". Mrs. Jean S. Nisley is president of the chapter here.

"The power of the League of Women Voters, a non-partisan organization devoted to the public interest, was set into motion today in an effort to keep the pre-election period between now and November from developing into mere political maneuvering and party rivalry, and to help citizens make wise and informed choices of officials to guide this country's destiny."

"Believing that individual citizens are responsible for the actions of parties, Marguerite M. Wells, president of the National League of Women Voters, announced today that league members are beginning work designed to affect the ground swell of public opinion to which politicians listen when choosing their candidates for public office. "Every single individual," Miss Wells said, "who during the next eight months retains his aspirations for a better future will help that ground swell."

"This year," according to Miss Wells, "a mere vote regardless of what is behind it, is an oversimplification of a citizen's responsibility. The choice now is not whether to vote or not to vote. It is what to vote for. Let the 'what' be heard by the keen ear of the party and the appropriate choice of candidates will be offered."

Miss Wells has called upon the members of the League of Women Voters in 1500 communities, among which is Fayette County, to recognize that a little good sense here and there adds up to wisdom and to reach out to those individuals who are "the people" and try to affect that ground swell for which politicians listen.

To aid its members, the League has made available a candidates' questionnaire for nation-wide distribution that is an attempt to stimulate candidates for Congress to think in broader terms than usual of the position they are seeking. It is in the nature of an attitude test, the candidate being asked to check a statement that most nearly represents his own point of view on a few basic

### Dinner Fetes Ensign

Mrs. Marie Moore entertained with a six o'clock dinner party in honor of her son-in-law, Ensign Russel Garrison, who has just returned from Africa.

Those enjoying the evening with the hostess and honored guests were Mrs. Garrison and son, of Morrow, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rudduck of Clarksville, Mrs. Mary Kirkpatrick, New Holland, Mrs. Leo Burke, Sr., J. O. Garringer, Bill and Wayne Rudduck.



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## Social Calendar

ROSEMARY DENNISON  
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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5  
V.F.W. Auxiliary, at Memorial Hall, 8 P.M.

THURSDAY, APRIL 6  
Marshall Grange, at Grange Hall in Jeffersonville, 8 P.M.  
Matrons Class of Bloomingburg Presbyterian Church, home of Mrs. E. H. McDonald, 2 P.M.

Good Hope Church Day, at Wayne Hall, covered dish luncheon at 12.

Wilson P. T. A., program Spring Music Festival for children, each family bring sandwiches, 8 P. M.

Fortnightly luncheon-bridge at Country Club, 1 P.M.  
Chairman, Mrs. Hughie Thompson, assisted by Mrs. Harry DeWitt and Mrs. Frank Little.

FRIDAY, APRIL 7  
Ladies of G.A.R., regular meeting at Memorial Hall, 2:30 P.M.

New Martinsburg WCTU, with Mrs. Omar Sturgeon, 2 P.M.

Jeffersonville WCTU, leaders, Mrs. Ora Allen and Mrs. Dorothy Engle.

Staunton WSCS, home of Mrs. Maude Leeth, 2 P.M.  
Mrs. Walter Sollars, Mrs. Martin Butz and Miss Roselind Wilson were business visitors in Columbus, Monday.

MONDAY, April 10  
Queen Esther Class, Church of Christ, meets with Mrs. Zella Sanderson, 732 South North Street, 7:30 P. M.

TUESDAY, APRIL 11  
Bloomingburg WSCS, home of Mrs. Omar Rapp, 2 P.M.  
Margaret Walker Circle of First Presbyterian Church, potluck supper meeting, 4:30 P.M.

Marguerite Class of First Presbyterian Church, home of Mrs. Harold Slagle, Briar Avenue, 7:30 P.M.

Joy Circle Meets with Mrs. Richard McLean For Potluck Supper

The Joy Circle of the First Baptist Church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Richard McLean with Miss Mary Jane Townsley as assisting hostess for the evening.

A potluck supper, temptingly served from one long table preceded the evening's business meeting. Easter suggestions were carried out in the table decorations and centering the serving table was a dainty arrangement of spring cut flowers.

Following the enjoyable supper hour, the president, Mrs. McLean conducted the business meeting and Miss Geraldine Smith had charge of the program which consisted of mission stories on the topics "Mandala" and "Nicaragua."

Visiting occupied the remainder of the evening at the close of the business meeting.

Wiener Roast Held  
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Smith of Jasper Mills, entertained a number of youngsters at their home Monday evening for a jolly wiener roast and evening of hilarious games.

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Betty Ileen Clark

This introduces to friends in Fayette County, Betty Ileen Clark, eighteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Omar L. Clark, route 1, London, who formerly resided in this city.

Petite Betty Ileen will celebrate her birthday on August twelfth with her grandfather, James L. Clark of Cook Station and her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Lindsey of this city.

## Easter Poem Is Given at Loyal Daughters' Meet

The Loyal Daughters of McNair Church met at the home of Mrs. Russell Miller, Monday evening, and the devotionals for the evening were given by Mrs. William Gardner.

During the Bible study hour, Mrs. Harold Alshire gave the following poem:

### EASTER

We gather here this Easter Season  
To lift our hearts in praise,  
To the Christ who died for us  
And from the grave was raised.

May this war not overshadow  
The great and shining love  
That our Father up in Heaven  
Sends to us from above.

We should gather strength and courage  
From this long remembered day  
And spread a little sunshine  
As we go along our way.

I know our hearts are troubled  
For the loved ones we have lost,  
But Christ knew this would happen,  
When he hung upon the cross.

He trusted in the Father;  
We must now our trust renew.  
For the Easter story tells us,  
Christ died for me and you.

So let not the Easter season,  
Be overshadowed by our tears;  
With God's love to always guide us;  
Easter will live down through the years.

—By Mrs. Harold Alshire.  
The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. John Warnecke at the close of which the hostess served light refreshments.

## Personals

Mrs. W. H. Wilson returned Monday after spending the past ten days with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Jones in Bowling Green.

Pvt. and Mrs. William McCoy spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Columbus, on business.

Mrs. M. E. Hitchcock of Athens, has spent the past several days as the houseguest of Miss Bess Cleveland and returned Wednesday to her home.

Mr. Frank W. Turner, former county engineer, now residing in Columbus, spent Monday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brandenburg, Pvt. and Mrs. William McCoy and son, Mickey Ray, were dinner guests Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Shelton in Cuba.

Mrs. Dean Fite and son, David, are spending a few days in Columbus with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Conard.

Miss June Denton of Ohio State University, Columbus, has returned there after spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Denton.

Mrs. Ormond Dewey, Mrs. Selby Gerstner and Mrs. W. E. Klevner have returned after spending the past several weeks in Miami, Florida.

Miss Winifred Wade, of Fairfield, was the Tuesday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Othol O. Wade.

Mrs. Charles Lozier of Portsmouth, has been the houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thornton and Mrs. DeWitt Thornton for the past few days.

## Kensington Club Of Bloomingburg Meets Tuesday

The Bloomingburg Kensington Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Woodland in Bloomingburg, with a good attendance of members in spite of the inclement weather.

For this occasion the hostess had placed lovely arrangements of multi-colored flowers about the spacious and attractively appointed living room of the home.

The meeting opened with all repeating the "Lord's Prayer," after which the following members gave interesting readings: Mrs. Florence Evans, "The Same Stone," while Mrs. Bertha Parter gave "God So Loved the World." Mrs. Mary Scott gave the article "Thanks for Everything," while Mrs. Daisy Parrett gave

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## Combined Session Of Classes Held At Church Home

The Victoria and Brotherhood classes of the First Baptist Bible School held their annual business session and social in the Baptist home Tuesday evening with a potluck dinner served to the members at six-thirty o'clock.

At the close of the enjoyable dinner hour, the class met together for a devotional service.

W. N. Hannum, president of the Brotherhood Class, had charge of the devotional period and Mr. and Mrs. Laris Hard sang two hymns. Mr. Pearl Baughn, teacher of the class, made the opening prayer followed by a reading of scripture by Mrs. Alyce Marsh of the Victoria class.

Mrs. Anna DeWeese read an interesting article on the duties of a church sexton as promulgated by the trustees of a New England Church in 1833. Mrs. Milo Smith, of the Victoria Class, made the closing prayer of the devotional session after which the classes separated for their business sessions.

The Victoria Class re-elected

their corps of officers while the new officers elected last night by the Brotherhood class, were president, Rev. W. H. Wilson; vice-president, Walter McLean; secretary-treasurer, Harvey Jackson; assistant secretary-treasurer, Robert Caplinger; teacher, Pearl Baughn; assistant teacher, Laris Hard.

### Birthday Dinner Party

Mrs. Glenn Smith entertained with a delicious birthday dinner, complimenting her husband on his natal anniversary and many invited relatives and guests assembled on this occasion for a most enjoyable celebration.

## SABINA SENIORS SELECT CLASS PLAY AND CAST

Sabina High School seniors have chosen "Introducing Susan" as their class play to be presented April 21 at the high school auditorium.

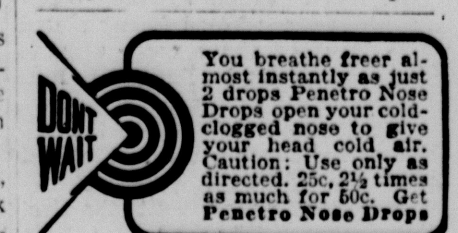
The cast is: Marcella March, Susan; Russell Lanum, Dick Leatherby; Billy Morrow, Bud-

dy Chalmers; Betty Bernard, Babbs Boswell; Marion Waddle, Hillington Ross; Virginia Gray, Diana Mayfield; Johanna Barnes, Violet; Ed Anderson, Cyclone; Avonelle Brown, Aunt Cornelia Quackenbush; James Waddle, Jim Donovan; Fred Hudson, Mike, and Marvin Waddle, Ike.

### BOYS ARE CITED

XENIA—After hurling burning matches at each other in a room at the home of one of the boys, four youngsters were cited to Juvenile Court after fire had caused \$100 to fixtures in the home.

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## WOODY HERMAN

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## An All Star Revue

ADMISSION \$2.50 PER PERSON

## Monday Night, April 10

## Les Brown And His Orchestra

ADMISSION \$1.50

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New, sweet and practical... assembled in minutes! \$1.00  
Comes in small, medium and large . . . . . Pair

## CRAIG'S



# POSTWAR VALUE OF PIPELINES PROBLEMATIC

Former Standard Oil Man Says Cost Too High For Transmission

There seems to be much discussion as to the value of the two big pipelines carrying crude oil and gasoline across the country from Texas to the east coast, both lines passing through Fayette County, and the total cost of which was well upward toward \$200,000,000, according to reports.

The War Emergency Pipelines, Inc., are still silent on the issue raised as to the post-war value of the lines.

"Big Inch" was attacked in New York by James A. Moffett, former executive vice president of Standard Oil of New Jersey, as a "wanton waste of steel and taxpayers' money."

Cost of piping oil through it from Texas to New York will be 54 cents a barrel against an ocean tanker charge of 15 cents, he asserted.

Previously, two other oil men had praised the "Inch" as a low-cost carrier. They were Wallace R. Finney, advisor of the Petroleum Administration for War, and J. B. Adou, pipeline engineer for Standard of New Jersey.

They said the line would carry crude oil at 10.4 cents a barrel.

Maj. Albert N. Horne, vice president and acting general manager of WEP, may have the correct answer to the problem, but if so he wasn't telling.

Another source intimated that the 54-cent Moffett estimate was too high. It was suggested that exact costs can not be definitely calculated on the basis of operation to date.

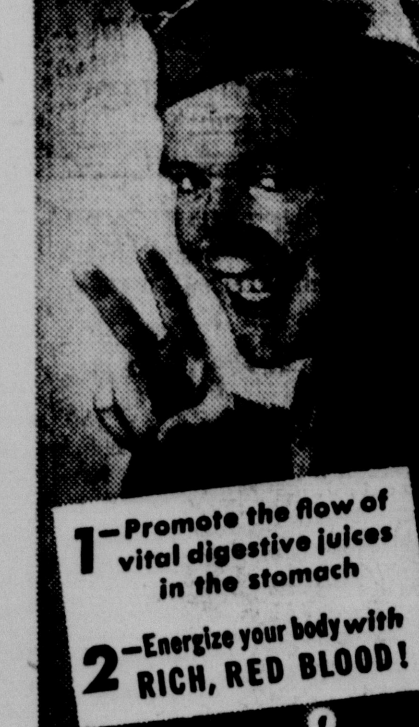
Cincinnati entered the picture from another angle 10 days ago in speculations over possible conversion of the "Big Inch" to a natural gas pipeline after the war. The city has been trying to obtain Texas gas through another pipeline now being built across Tennessee.

Conversion would be practical from an engineering standpoint, Maj. Horne said at that time. He withheld further comment.

In the meantime the two big pipelines, longest in the world, are carrying upward of 600,000 barrels of crude oil and gasoline daily to the east coast, and the lines will probably be operated indefinitely.

The word turnpike originated from the early American custom of blocking toll roads with pikes or poles—when the toll was paid, the pikes were turned aside.

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THESE two important steps may help you to overcome the discomforts or embarrassment of sour stomach, jerky nerves, loss of appetite, underweight, digestive complaints, weakness, poor complexion!

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## Jeffersonville News

Mrs. Belle Thompson

### EASTER

The Easter season is here again with its color in mind and soul. It's a different season this year to us.

With war and the earth's unrest. We turn to God with faith untold.

His blessings, in all, we ask. There never was seen such a season of prayer.

For the safety of all mankind. At this beautiful season of Easter.

With the crucifixion always in mind.

Methodist Church  
Rev. and Mrs. E. R. Rector and the youth of the church are making every effort to make our Easter season one of great joy.

Thursday, April 6—Candle-light communion service at 8:00 P. M.

Sunday, April 9—Sunrise service and breakfast at 6:45 A. M. sponsored by the youth of the church.

Easter worship and baptismal service at 10:45 A. M.

W. S. C. S. on Wednesday at 2 o'clock Rev. Rector, leader.

Out-of-town Visitors  
Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox of Dayton are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilcox, indefinitely.

Shoppers  
Mrs. Maud Straley, Mrs. Starling Ervin and Mrs. Harold Dorn and daughter, Claudine, of Sedalia, were shoppers in Columbus, Friday.

Dinner Guests  
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith of Washington C. H. and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stackhouse and Dwight Dorn of Springfield were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Porter.

Visiting  
Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Little were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Brude of Dayton. Mrs. Brude and daughter came home with them and will remain for the Easter season.

Mr. Brude will come for Easter.

Callers  
Mr. and Mrs. Ben MaHoy and Miss Millie Neer of Mechanicsburg, were callers of Mrs. Jose Charles at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Connor of the Washington Pike.

Out-of-town  
Mrs. Nora Kirk, Mrs. Gilbert Bush and Mrs. Mary Milburn were at the Sprague Funeral Home in S. Charleston, called by the death of Mrs. O. O. Benson.

### Callers

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ervin and daughter, Martha Armstrong and baby, Brenda Lynn, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Connor.

### Dinner Guests

Dinners guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Thompson were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fent.

## WARNS AGAINST WRONG ADVICE

Social Security Retired Workers, Be Careful

Inaccurate advice from well-meaning but inadequately informed friends may be costing some retired workers money in the form of old-age and survivors insurance benefits, Wayne W. Putnam, manager of the Social Security field office of the Columbus field office of the Social Security Board, said today.

The same kind of advice may be keeping benefit checks from widows, children and parents of workers who die, Putnam said.

To counteract this, Putnam advised that every worker who is 65 or over and has been working in insured employment—generally business and industry—should get in touch with the nearest office of the Social Security Board immediately for information, as soon as he quits his job. If he is qualified for benefits, the Board will assist him to file a claim. If he needs additional work in covered employment to qualify, he will be told just how much more, Putnam said.

Similarly when a worker dies, if social security taxes have been taken from his pay, the widow or other close relative should contact the Board's office immediately. Full assistance in completing claims will be furnished by the field office. Contacts may be made by visit, by letter or by telephone.

### MORE RATS THAN HUMANS

WASHINGTON, April 5—(P)—With the rat population estimated as outnumbering humans 3 to 1 here, Washington health authorities have issued an edict to restaurant owners to "clean up or close up."

The first act of Parliament authorizing libraries in England was passed in 1850.

## RECORDS SHOW MARCH RAINFALL ABOVE NORMAL

Temperature Somewhat Below Normal During the Past Month

Monthly summary of the weather at this point, compiled by Observer Chalmers S. Burns, shows that rainfall was 4.12 inches, compared with a normal of 3.19 inches, or 1.07 inches above normal, and that the mean temperature was 38.5 degrees compared with normal of 40.6 degrees, or somewhat colder than usual.

Temperature ranged all the way from 8 above zero on March 9 to 80 above on March 15, or a range of 72 degrees.

However the range last year was from 6 below zero to 76 above, or 82 degrees, 10 degrees greater than the range this year.

While rainfall during March was 4.12 inches, last year in March total precipitation was 5.83 inches during March, while in March, 1941, rainfall was only .84 of an inch.

Mean temperature was 37.3 degrees in March of last year, while the mean temperature in March, 1941, was 33.05 degrees.

During the past month the mean maximum temperature was 48.8 and mean minimum 28.2.

There were nine clear days, 12 partly cloudy and 10 classified as cloudy.

High winds occurred March 7 and 8, which reached blizzard proportions, and heavy sleet fell March 19.

## MARRIED WAVES KEEP DEPENDENCY MONEY

Servicemen's Wives Get \$50 Monthly Payment

Married women enlisting in the Navy's WAVES do not lose dependency allowances they are receiving from their husbands in service, new rulings of the Navy department say, PO 1-c

## Gas on Stomach

Relieved in 5 minutes or double your money back. When excess stomach acid causes painful, suffocating gas, sour stomach and heartburn, doctors usually prescribe the fastest-acting medicine known for symptomatic relief—medicines like those in Bell's and Tablets. No laxative. Bell's brings relief in 5 minutes or return bottle to us for double money back. 25c.

Willard Porter, Navy recruiter who comes here each Wednesday, announced today.

"A WAVE can be married to a man in either the Army or the Navy, providing he is below the rank of ensign, and keep her provisions under the dependency act," the recruiter said. She would continue to receive \$50 each month as the wife of a service man even during her own service in the Navy's WAVES, he added.

## PFC W. E. HARMAN NAZI PRISONER

Tail Gunner Was Reported Missing in Action

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harman of Danville, today know their son, Pfc. William E. Harman, is a German prisoner of war.

Pfc. Harman was reported missing in action, February 24. A radio-gunner on a Flying Fortress which was lost over Denmark, Pfc. Harman received his final training at Alexandria Army Air Base at Alexandria, La., from the Second Air Force which had the task of readying all four-engine bomber crews for overseas duty.

Instead of a downtown Easter flower display, Bucks' Greenhouse this year will have a special showing in the salesroom of the greenhouse Friday and Saturday.

## FLOWER DISPLAY TO BE AT GREENHOUSE

No Down-town Showing Will Be Held This Year

The customary business-district display was impossible this year because no suitable location could be found, it was said.

Early Easter orders will be appreciated and extra salespeople will be on hand to take orders, both early in the week and during the two-day display, it was said.

## TIME CHANGED BY MANY CITIES

This City One of Few Not on Fast Time

Most of the surrounding cities, including Columbus, changed to Eastern War Time or fast time over the weekend and this city is one of the few points in this part of Ohio that is still observing the slow time.

Council is expected to take up the question at the Wednesday night meeting, but whether it will be determined at that time is still problematical.

It is known, however, that petitions have been in circulation asking for the change of time and these will probably be presented at the Wednesday night session.

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## RUPTURE

E. J. MEINHARDT, widely known Shield Specialist of Chicago, will again be in Columbus, Ohio, at the Desher Hotel, for Three Days—Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, April 8th, 10th and 11th. Office Hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. and 6 P. M. to 8 P. M. daily. Please note dates and hours carefully.

MR. MEINHARDT says: The Meinhardt Shield is a tremendous improvement—well known for producing immediate results. It prevents the Rupture from protruding in 10 days on the average—regardless of size or location of Rupture and no matter how hard you work or strain. It has no leg straps. (No Surgery or Injection Treatment used.) Mr. Meinhardt has been coming here for 15 years. He has thousands of satisfied customers. Ask your neighbors.

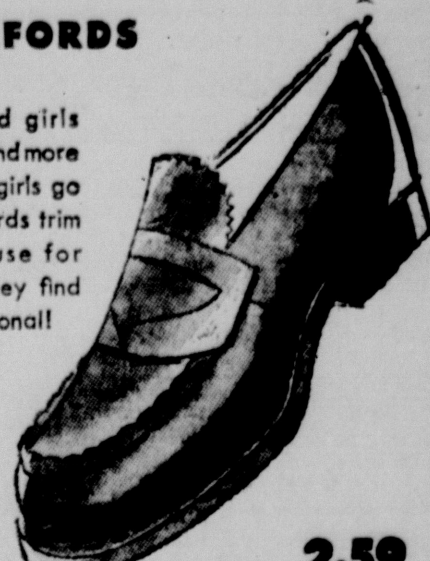
Caution: If neglected—Rupture may cause weakness, backache, constipation, nervousness, stomach pains, etc., or sudden death from strangulation.

Men having large Ruptures which have returned after Surgical Operations or Injection Treatments are also invited. When all others fail—see MEINHARDT. He will be pleased to demonstrate to you privately without charge. (Only men invited.) White only.

# Lead an active life

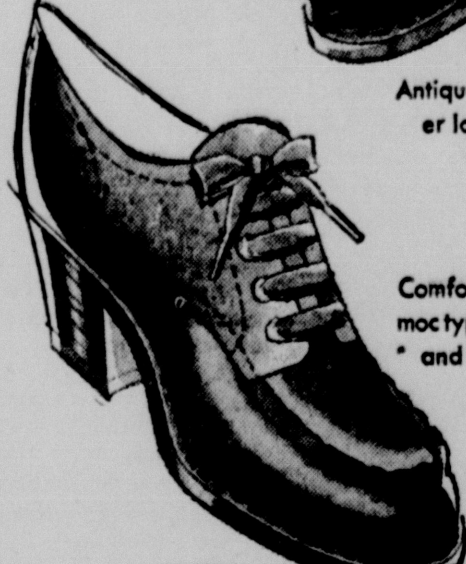
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Antique finish brown leather loafer, sturdily made; with roomy mac toe.



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Cleans out "Winter"—Puts New Life in Your Car—Gives you 10 Benefits at One Price!

Here's a spring "pick-up" that brings new life to a sluggish, aging car! A remarkable new SOHIO motor-cleaning product—SOHIO-TONE—quickly and effectively removes loose carbon, sludge and other wastes accumulated during months of cold-weather driving. It helps free sticky valves, improve ring action, restore power and smooth operation, by one simple non-mechanical operation.

In addition, the "ALL-OUT" service gets rid of worn, thinned-out motor oil and gear oil. You get a motor oil change with 5 QUARTS OF FAMOUS SOHIO MOTOR OIL—and a COMPLETE GEAR OIL CHANGE (all you need for both transmission and differential). All for \$3.69!

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- 2 MOTOR CLEANED OUT! Motor is easily and quickly purged and cleaned inside.
- 3 CARBON TAKEN OUT! Much of the carbon is loosened and drained out with the old oil while you wait.
- 4 SLUDGE REMOVED! Helps rid motor of damaging sludge that has been piling up in crankcase over this gas-rationed winter.
- 5 VALVES AND RINGS FREED AND CLEANED! The "ALL-OUT" SPECIAL improves ring action and helps free sticky valves—thus giving better compression.
- 6 HELPS SAVE GAS! Many car owners report noticeable improvement in gasoline mileage after the "ALL-OUT" service.
- 7 OIL STAYS CLEANER! When sludge is removed oil will stay cleaner, longer.
- 8 LONGER GEAR LIFE! Transmission and differential rid of harmful waste... thin winter gear lubricant replaced with fresh summer-grade SOHIO Gear Lubricant.
- 9 LONGER CAR LIFE! By restoring health to your precious motor, transmission and differential, SOHIO'S "ALL-OUT" Special actually makes your car last longer.
- 10 NOT WEATHER PROTECTION! With motor refreshed and danger points protected, hot weather transportation is well guarded.

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## What the Well-dressed Consumer Will Wear



YOUR wardrobe may not include a mountain-climber's costume or deep-sea-diver's rig. But they illustrate a simple, startling fact.

While the cost of living has been climbing up, the cost of electric service has been dropping down! That's true no matter what year you choose to set as "sea level"—3 years ago with war approaching—10 years ago in deep depression—or 15 years ago in boom times.

Actually, in the last 15 years, the cost of electricity has come down so far that the average American family gets about twice as much for its money today as it did then. Perhaps

you haven't noticed the reduction in your own bills because you've been adding appliances and using more and more electricity over the years. But the saving is there.

In the light of other wartime costs and taxes, electricity is just about the biggest bargain in your budget! The reasons are as many as the men and women who work for your local electric company—under careful business management—devoting all their energy and experience toward keeping service good and price low.

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Boxing Elimination Is Begun As Track and Field Sport Taken Up Markets and Finance

Winter and spring sports went hand in hand through the high school here Wednesday when a meeting to discuss track and field athletics was held in the afternoon at the close of classes and the gymnasium was cleared for elimination boxing bouts in the evening.

Track and field prospects were taken up with ambitious athletes by the two coaches, Jerry Kissell

and George Miraben. Although admittedly too early to draw any conclusions or make any predictions, the coaches were not pessimistic and expressed hope for a good turnout of candidates and success in interscholastic competition.

An S.C.O. League meet to be held at Wilmington has been agreed on by loop officials. A

dual or triangular meet of two probably will be added to the schedule, it was said, but it is nothing definite yet.

Both Kissell and Miraben emphasized the importance of track and field athletics as a background for football and basketball. Their inclination to pick gridders and cagers from the track squad is expected to be

somewhat of an added inducement for boys to try out for track.

**Boxing Turnout Coming**

Come evening, the gym will be all lighted up for the leather slingers again. But this time it will be just a little different.

For weeks the boys from the fourth grade up through the senior class in the high school have been sparring and slugging to get

in shape for the big event to come—the annual boxing, tournament to be held this year on the night of April 14.

Activities are scheduled to get underway at 7:15 P.M. More than 50 pugilistic boys have been lined up to trade punches and the best will be rewarded with a chance to go on to greater honors in the tournament. The others will be eligible to seats on the sidelines as spectators.

The coaches are now planning for a one-night tourney of ten bouts. In weight the boys run from 65 pounds to 180 pounds.

Spying On Sports By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK, April 5.—(AP)—Writing as a small-town fan as well as a sports editor, Jimmie Murphy of the Canton, Ill., Daily Ledger offers the opinion that "small town fans are the forgotten men of the sports world despite the fact that they support sports events in the larger cities by attending sports events whenever possible." ... So far as baseball is concerned, Jimmie blames the farm system for this situation and adds that, if farms were eliminated, it would mean the return of minor league baseball to many small cities which dropped out because the local owners couldn't compete with major-league clubs. "The Illinois-Missouri League disbanded years ago along with other minor circuits, once-prosperous organizations which provided entertainment for fans in the 'hick' towns represented. Those leagues were financed by local businessmen. Then came the farm system and goodbye to baseball to most smaller cities. It is true that in most of these cities baseball did not pay its own way and that financing teams was a tough proposition. But the businessmen usually donated to and helped secure the money necessary to move a franchise, and in most cases it was only a year or two until the fans demanded the return of a league team."

Jimmie touches on various other angles, notably the unfairness to ball players who are held down on farm clubs. He has hit both the strength and weakness of the farm system. The weakness is that fans don't like absentee ownership, especially if the owner clubs grab off a few good players in the middle of a hot pennant race. The strength lies in providing efficient management and absorbing the inevitable losses. As one farm advocate put it: "Baseball is a specialized business and you can't expect a small town baker or hardware man to know how to run a ball club. If those fellows have a few bad seasons, they just quit and no other club can start up in that territory until all obligations are paid off." ... And, as Murphy says, the fans support events in the larger cities (or did when they had gasoline) sometimes at the expense of their home town teams.

**Leo Bondy of the "anti-farm"** Giants has one solution that he thinks will take care of the problem. That is to establish working agreements whereby the major league clubs, in return for options on a certain number of players, guarantees the minor league club against losses for the season, provided that it stays within a pre-arranged budget. Such agreements are responsible for the revival of the Ohio State League this season. And, come to think of it, there were 19 minor leagues operating in 1920, before the farm problem became serious, and 44 in 1940 just before the war began to cut them down.

**Baseball Scores**

(By the Associated Press)

Philadelphia (A) 5, Toronto (I) 1.

Philadelphia (N) 6, Martin Bombers (Baltimore) 0.

Boston (A) 19, Baltimore (I) 3.

Brooklyn (N) 6, New York (A) 4.

ROOM AND BOARD



Markettes Lengthen Lead With Win from Newgirls

The league-leading Markettes fattened their percentage and widened the gap separating them from Light's Dairymaids Tuesday night at the expense of the Record-Herald Newgirls when they won all three of their games of their match in the City's Women's League on the Main Street alleys by comfortable margins.

The Dairymaids were edged out by three pines in their first game but came back to win the last two in a ding-dong battle with Craig's Airsteppers. This match not only was marked by some of the keenest competition of the season but also some good individual bowling.

The cellar-dwelling Morris Store girls took the first two games of their match with Hawkinson's Treaders but lost the last one when their feeblest effort was topped by the best game of the Treaders.

The Business and Professional Women broke the tie with the Newgirls and took undisputed possession of sixth place by winning all three games.

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Morris' 5-10	1	2	3	T
R. Shasteen	114	94	99	307
H. King	185	109	119	413
G. Warner	187	128	115	430
Helen King	131	129	115	375
S. Cooper	105	205	108	418
S. Sub Total	616	675	556	1847
Handicap	159	159	159	477
Total	775	834	715	2324

Hawkinson Tread

L. Warfield	145	102	107	354
M. Rider (Blind)	129	129	129	387
G. Warner	174	138	135	447
P. Haines	130	125	145	400
M. Bright	103	161	174	438
S. Sub Total	687	755	790	2132
Handicap	146	146	146	438
Total	833	901	936	2670

B. and P. Women

R. Johnson	144	133	89	366
Wilson	114	132	101	347
Munger	105	126	147	378
R. Cook	122	122	129	373
West	146	139	97	382
S. Sub Total	631	652	563	1846
Handicap	143	143	143	429
Total	774	795	706	2275

Farmer Exchange 1

Frank Cook	82	122	108	312
M. Johnson	160	148	140	448
R. Davis	135	125	105	365
J. Croker	112	97	101	310
B. Mirehem	125	146	122	393
S. Sub Total	614	651	576	1841
Handicap	137	137	137	411
Total	751	788	713	2252

Light's Dairy 1

R. Malone	130	132	118	380
R. Coffey	128	119	138	385
J. Olinger	157	154	142	453
R. Hard	139	151	156	446
L. Wisecup	127	129	130	386
S. Sub Total	741	746	774	2261
Handicap	107	107	107	321
Total	848	853	881	2682

Craig's Air Step 1

G. Humphrey	179	149	140	468
S. Lyon	130	120	120	370
G. Warner	173	125	128	426
P. Kirk (Blind)	125	125	125	375
L. Givens	188	188	188	564
S. Sub Total	764	717	736	2217
Handicap	87	87	87	261
Total	851	804	823	2478

Lloyd's Market 1

M. Caldwell	109	156	147	412
M. Mickie	179	158	128	465
R. Johnson	142	126	186	454
D. McNutt	140	140	140	420
R. Saunders	129	131	146	406
S. Sub Total	699	731	778	2108
Handicap	84	84	84	252
Total	783	815	862	2360

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D. Underwood	98	125	125	348
N. Perneau	129	125	124	378
S. Davis	110	90	89	289
R. Swales	118	114	91	323
B. Toome (Blind)	118	114	114	346
S. Sub Total	573	616	577	1766
Handicap	142	142	142	426
Total	715	758	719	2192

Nazi Grip on Balkans Weakened by Two-Way Attack by Reds, Allies

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must reach the front. The pell-mell German retreat through the Ukrainian mud left much of their heavy equipment bogged behind Soviet lines.

Striking toward the Ploesti oil fields and Bucharest from the north, the Russians captured 30 places on the approaches to the Bessarabian capital of Kishinev yesterday. A renewed thrust toward the old Polish rail center of Lwow scooped up 30 more towns.

Moscow said virtually all Tarnopol had been captured and that 3,000 Nazis had been slain and 300 captured in three days of battle. The tired and tattered survivors of the 15 German divisions in the Skala district "Kettie" grew "weaker and weaker as the ring closes," the Soviets said.

**Nazis in Odessa Trap**

An estimated 200,000 Germans and Rumanians pinned against the Black Sea at Odessa were in

increasing danger as the Russians moved within two miles of their last railroad. Fifty hamlets fell and the siege was tightened from nearest positions 19 miles away.

Other Red army forces, driving on Kishinev, capital of Bessarabia, captured 30 localities on a 50-mile front, the communique announced, and were within 32 miles of the city at Dobnya, Osipovka, 35 miles north of Tiraspol, another important communications center, also fell to the Russian advance.

While there were no reports of further progress by Marshal Ivan S. Konev's Second Army in its drive inside Rumania toward Iasi, Zhukov's left wing, operating just north of Konev's front, slashed deeper into the Skala pocket west of Kamenets Podolsk.

**Bombers Back Over Europe**

Heavy American Liberator bombers assaulted the Pas-de-Calais invasion coast of France today, resuming the aerial offensive after a three-day lull while the Russians mopped up the last survivors of 15 trapped German divisions north of the Dniester and the garrison of Tarnopol.

The dawn skies over southeast England were filled with propeller wash, and German radios in Frankfurt, Calais and Luxembourg snapped off the air.

By night, the wooden Mosquitos swarmed over Cologne and the bomb-damaged Ruhr valley of Germany, depositing two-ton "cookies" without loss.

The widely-traveled young Americans of the 15th Air Force in Italy destroyed 49 German planes over Bucharest, the capital which the Rumanians call the Paris of the Balkans. Rail yards and repair shops were tangled; a third of Bucharest was shrouded in a pall of black smoke; the Rumanian puppet dictator Antonescu who went out of his way to declare war on the United States and Great Britain when Hitler seemed to be winning, deplored the attack and begged his people to stay firm with these strange words:

"Instead of understanding and justice from those we have never attacked and to whom we have felt thanks for the past, they have vented upon us the terrible revenge of air bombardment," etc.

American losses in 1,400 sorties from Italy yesterday were 12 planes and operations included attacks on Dalmatian shipping and on supply dumps, bridges, guns and bivouacs near the stalemate battlefields, where only artillery and patrols broke the calm.

**CHARLIE CHAPLIN CLEARED OF MANN ACT VIOLATION; BUT TROUBLES NOT OVER**

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foreman handed the verdict to Court Clerk Francis Cross.

"We find the defendant not guilty on count one," Cross read in a high-pitched voice. Chaplin looked up and a wave of applause swept the crowded court room. Federal Judge J. F. T. O'Connor rapped for order.

Later Chaplin, after submitting

After a brief lull in activity along the Assam front in northern India, advancing Japanese have increased their pressure in their drive toward Imphal, strong Allied communications center.

Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's headquarters acknowledged that the Japanese forces which had reached the highway leading northward from Imphal to Kohima had not yet been dislodged. However, Allied rearguards continue to operate successfully along the road southward from Imphal to Tiddim.

Allied planes struck oil and power installations in southern Burma and strafed enemy troops in the India border area. On the Arakan front, far to the south along the Bay of Bengal, Allied troops heading toward the Japanese-held port of Akyab have occupied Alathangdaw, south of Maungdaw.

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"I believe in American justice. I've had a very fair trial."

The other legal matters concerning Miss Berry still confront him. Next Tuesday he is scheduled to appear again in Federal Court, with six co-defendants, for a ruling on their demurrers to indictments charging conspiracy to deprive her of her civil rights. If the demurrers are denied they will plead to the charges and a trial date will be set.

Chaplin also faces Miss Berry's civil suit alleging he is the father of her six-months-old daughter, Carol Ann.

Chaplin was accused of causing Joan's transportation to New York in October, 1942, for immoral purposes, and back to Hollywood with the same intent. The actor admitting supplying the tickets for the trip east, but denied any immoral acts were contemplated or consummated. He denied flatly he provided the funds for the return journey, which constituted the second count of the indictment.

In all vital points Miss Berry's testimony and that of Chaplin were in diametric opposition.

**Decisive Victory Is Won by Angott**

WASHINGTON, April 5.—(AP)—Mr. Samuel Angott, one of the leading citizens of Washington, Pa., told all within listening distance today that he's ready to rejoin the exclusive circle of fistic champions.

Angott, who lost his National Boxing Association lightweight crown to Juan Zurita of Mexico last month, showed last night that he still has the championship urge. He pounded out a decisive 10-round verdict over Aaron Perry, 18-year-old Washington Negro billed as a sensational fistic prospect. The decision broke Perry's streak of 16 consecutive wins.

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FOR SALE—Purebred Hampshire boars and Guernsey bull calves. HARDIN FARM. Phone 20498.

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FOR SALE—Makom oil brooder, 500 chick size. Phone 2938, Jeffersonville.

COCIDIOSIS checked 6 to 12 hours. Z. E. IRVIN, Poultry Specialist, 320 Forest Street, Washington C. H., Ohio.

## FOR SALE

### BROODER HOUSES

Size 10x12', 4 runners, double floor, painted 1 coat. Made with the Weyerhaeuser Rileo circle top rafters.

Call 2581 for further information and price.

## The Washington Lumber Co.

## FINANCIAL

### Business Opportunities

FOR SALE—Purebred male hogs. Phone 5961, EARL AILLS.

### Money to Loan

MONEY TO LOAN on farms on a 15, 20, or 25 year contract at 4 percent interest. See me at once. G. A. HANDLEY, Washington C. H., Ohio.

4814—Lydia McKeever

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Carl Brown, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Golda M. Brown has been duly appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Carl Brown, late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.

OTIS B. CORE, Judge of the Probate Court, Fayette County, Ohio.

No. 4838

March 17, 1944

E. L. Bush, attorney

## NOTICE OF FILING

### Accounts

Probate Court, Fayette County, Ohio

Whereas, accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said Court in settlement by the Administratrix of the Estate of the following named deceased persons, to-wit:

4793—Letha Zimmerman

4814—Lydia McKeever

And by the Executrix of the Will of the following named deceased person, to-wit:

4773—Stephen M. Hall

And by the Trustees of the following named Estate, to-wit:

3642—Viola F. Stuckey

Notice is hereby given that said accounts and vouchers are now on file in the office of said Court, being submitted for confirmation and set for settlement on April 24th, 1944, and unless a hearing is requested, or ordered by the Court, as provided by Sections 10508-26, General Code of Ohio, the Court will examine said accounts and if found correct and in conformity to law, will order said accounts settled and recorded, and with respect to final accounts the fiduciaries be discharged.

OTIS B. CORE, Judge.

March 28, 1944.

## MISCELLANEOUS

### Flowers-Plants-Seeds

ROSES, flowering shrubs, flowering trees, shade trees, Evergreens, many varieties, all first class stock, ready for delivery now. MERIWEATHER NURSERIES.

## WE HAVE

### Columbia Oats

Coming in this week.

Suitable for Seed

## Dill Grain Co.

Phone 256 Milledgeville

## WANTED

Yellow ear corn. Must be good quality, clean and dry. Our trucks will load at your crib, weigh on public scales and pay cash. Write us, stating the amount of corn you wish to sell and the price you will take for it.

## BOURBON HARDWARE

and IMPLEMENT CO., INC.

Paris, Ky.

Phone 214

## Household Goods

FOR SALE—Quick Meal gas stove, side oven; 9x12 all wool rug, extra good condition. Call at 323 North Fayette Street.

## Just Received

5 MAPLE

BEDROOM-SUITES

Montgomery Ward's

## Miscellaneous For Sale

FOR SALE—Clean-up sale, men and women's coats and other clothing and notions, starting 8 A. M. to 9 P. M. Thursday to Saturday. 804 Maple Street.

FOR SALE—A cabinet model radio in A-1 shape. Inquire OTT POWELL, at Montgomery Ward.

FOR SALE—Red Pelican sure cleaner and brightener for rug shampoo. Oriental or Domestic rugs. J. L. MILLER, 861 Leesburg Ave., phone 2151.

## FOR SALE

Lumber Posts

Fertilizer

BROOKOVER'S

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## FOR YOUR

### DRIVEWAY

—Use—

Crushed Limestone, Pre-mixed

Asphalt and Stone.

—Also—

Agriculture Limestone

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## BLUE ROCK, INC.

Phone 201 Greenfield, O.

## Musical Instruments

FOR SALE—Howard upright piano, Colonial style oak buffet. 713 North North Street.

## PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction at my farm on the Worthington Road, 7 miles southwest of Washington C. H., 7 miles southeast of Sabina, and 2 miles west of Staunton,

## FRIDAY, APRIL 7

(Beginning at 1:00 O'clock)

## 9—HORSES—9

1 team of gray mares; 1 gray mare; 1 light roan mare; 1 black aged mare; 1 matched team of gray geldings; 1 team of 3-year-old dark gray fillies (green).

## 280—HOGS—280

20 Hampshire and 10 Hampshire and Berkshire sows, some with pigs by side and some to farrow soon; 1 registered Hampshire boar and 1 registered black Poland China boar; 30 feeding hogs, weighing from 125 to 150 lbs.; 40 shoats, weight about 100 lbs.; 90 shoats, weighing from 50 to 75 lbs.; and 90 weanling pigs. All these hogs have been double treated.

## IMPLEMENTS

1 Case 28-50 threshing machine in good condition; 125-ft. drive belt; 1 McCormick-Deering 10-ft. power binder; 1 grain drill; 1 steel hay rake; 1 ensilage cutter; 2 McCormick-Deering corn planters with fertilizer attachment; 2 mowers; 1 John Deere single row cultivator; 1 McCormick-Deering single row cultivator; one 2-row cultivator; 2 double disc harrows; 2 wagons; 2 sleds; 2 feed grinders; 20 Thomas hog boxes; 3 Smidley hog feeders; 2 winter hog fountains; a lot of hog troughs; 8 sides of harness, collars, etc., and a lot of miscellaneous articles too numerous to mention.

## TERMS—CASH

## Edith Worthington

W. O. Bumgarner, Auct.

Albert Schmidt, Clerk

## RENTALS

### Apartments For Rent

MODERN furnished apartment, private bath. Phone 29243.

### Rooms For Rent

FOR RENT—1 modern sleeping room, 320 Broadway.

## GRACE DUFFEE

FOR RENT—2 sleeping rooms. 212 North North Street.

FOR RENT—1 room, suitable for 1 person or two. Call after 4:30, phone 5061.

## REAL ESTATE

See

ELMER JUNK

For Bargains

Farms—large or small

Also city property

112 N. Fayette Phone 4501

## Business Property

SEE ANDY GIDDING for farms or city property, 114 West Market Street. Phone 4731.

## RALPH W. MOORE

### Farms For Sale

50 FAYETTE COUNTY farms from 3 to 500 acres and 200 farms in adjoining counties. These are all extra good farms, come and see for yourself. Also 5 modern five and six room homes and many other residence properties. BEN JAMISON.

## PUBLIC SALES

FRIDAY, APRIL 7

EDITH WORTHINGTON—Sale of Livestock and Farm Equipment, at the farm on the Worthington Road, 7 miles southwest of Washington C. H., 7 miles southeast of Sabina and 2 miles west of Staunton, 1 o'clock.

W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, APRIL 8

MRS. MALEY DAWES—Residence property, 428 Forest Street, Washington C. H., 2 P. M.

M. W. Eckie, auctioneer.

MONDAY, APRIL 10

FOREST RIPLEY—A large Sale of Dairy Cows, Hogs and Farm Equipment, 12 miles east of Springfield on the old Columbus Road, 2 miles north-

## LEGAL NOTICE

The Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors of Ohio, will hold an examination for Licenses of Funeral Directors on Friday, April 21st, 1944, at Columbus, Ohio, in the Deshler-Wallick Hotel. This notice published pursuant to the provision of Section 1335—4, G. C. of Ohio.

THE BOARD OF EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS OF OHIO, C. L. STOUT, Secretary-treasurer.

## SHERIFF'S SALE IN

### PARTITION

The State of Ohio, Fayette County

Common Pleas Court.

Edgar Mathews vs. Charles B. Mathews, et al. No. 19802.

Notice is hereby given, that on Saturday the 29th day of April A. D. 1944, at the hour of 2:00 o'clock P. M., I will offer for sale at public auction at the south door of the Court House, in Washington C. H., Ohio, the following described premises:

Situate in the City of Washington, County of Fayette and State of Ohio, to-wit:

Being Lots No. 9 and 10 in J. Stone Walker's Sub-division of lands in and adjoining the City of Washington, Fayette County, Ohio, as shown and designated on the recorded plat of said sub-division, reference to which recorded plat is hereby made for a more particular description.

Located at 1125 North North Street, Washington C. H., Ohio.

Appraised at \$5,400.00.

Said premises to be sold as the property of the parties to the above action, on an order of sale in Partition from the Common Pleas Court of Fayette County, Ohio, and directed to me as Sheriff of said County.

Terms of Sale: Cash.

Given under my hand this 27th day of March, 1944.

W. H. Icenhower,

Sheriff of Fayette County, Ohio

E. L. Bush, attorney.

east of South Vienna, 10 o'clock prompt.

Gordon, Baker and Bradley, auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12</



# CED Survey Now Under Way Among Farmers

## MAIN PURPOSE IS TO PLAN FOR JOBS AFTER WAR

Views on Processing Plants For Farm Crops Also Being Recorded

Members of the county's Committee for Economic Development today were making a survey of what is broadly classed as "community markets" for information which will be fitted into a national pattern for assuring jobs for men and women now in the country's armed forces and in war industries when they come back from service or industry.

It is on the basis of the data gathered by CED surveys from coast to coast that manufacturers and retailers will make their plans for post-war.

The CED, headed in Fayette County by Ray Brandenburg and including nearly a score of the city's business and the county's farm leaders, is a non-government organization. It has been emphasized by the chairman that all information given in the surveys, of which there will be several others, is strictly confidential—there is not even a line on the blanks for a signature.

The first of the questionnaires already are out for the farmers. Similar ones will be out for city residents in the near future.

Two sub-committees of the county CED have been combined for gathering data on community markets and their work co-ordinated, the chairman explained. In addition to the combined membership which included W. W. Montgomery, county chairman, George A. Steen, city chairman, T. H. Craig, Jr., chairman of the city Purchasing Power Committee, Jean Nisley, William Humphries, Carroll Halliday, Max Thomas of Jeffersonville and Herbert E. Wilson, help of several other individuals and organizations also has been enlisted.

The canvass of the farmers is being done largely through the Farm Bureau Councils and the Granges. In the city, the survey will be largely by individuals.

The farm questionnaires seek to determine how many families expect to build a new barn, milk house, prefabricated small buildings, repair small buildings, erect a silo, put in ditches and build fences, buy a binder, combine, corn picker, cream separator, cultivator, elevator, hay loader, manure spreader, milking machine, tractor truck, electric service, milk cooler, sharp freezer and water system; restock with beef cattle, dairy cattle, hogs, horses, poultry and sheep.

It also asks whether these post-war improvements will be financed through current income, installment credit, cashing War Bonds, savings in cash and bank deposits and estimate on the value of trade-ins in equipment purchases.

Farmers are asked to estimate the amount spent for these items in 1939 and 1940 and to indicate the order of preference for post-war buying.

The questionnaire which will be submitted to both city and rural residents seeks to determine how many plan to install air conditioning, buy new or used automobiles, put in bathrooms and plumbing equipment, build a new house, buy floor coverings, furniture, install heating units, kitchen equipment, buy a house, radio or phonograph, refrigerator, repair the house, purchase a sewing machine, sharp freezer, washing machine, water heater, water softener or take vacation trips.

It, too, asks that plans for financing be set down.

It was explained that no at-

## County Courts

### DIVORCE GRANTED

Lucille Hooks, on grounds of extreme cruelty, has been granted a divorce from Gilbert Hooks in Common Pleas Court.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Paul Glendon, 27, farmer, city, and Essie Louise Duff, 24, accountant, city.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Russell E. Coil to Ralph E. Patch, et al., lot 9, Milledgeville.

William C. Miller, deceased, to Ethel Agnes Graves, 191 acres, Paint and Union Townships.

tempt would be made to contact every family. Rather the plan being followed is to make the survey through a representative cross-section of the residents of both city and rural sections and from that compile the data for the whole.

On the reverse side of the questionnaire being circulated among the farmers are four additional questions which, while they branch out into another phase of post-war planning, are regarded as important as the survey for data on purchasing intentions. The first asks: "Do you think a soybean processing plant for Fayette County after the war would be a good thing?" The second asks: "Do you think a meat packing plant would prove a profitable venture for this community?" The third asks: "Would an alfalfa dehydrating plant be worth while?" and the fourth asks: "Have you any other suggestions that might aid in furnishing employment to returned service men and women and help prevent a post-war depression? If so, please give them."

Members of the CED expressed confidence that solicitors would be given the fullest co-operation by the people because, it was explained, "they also will want to do everything they can to soften the post-war shock and assure jobs for veterans of the uniformed services."

### FUNERAL HELD TUESDAY FOR KARL KESSLER

Funeral services for Karl Kessler were held Tuesday at 2 P. M. in the Alvin G. Little Funeral Home in Jeffersonville.

Rev. John Brads of Bowersville, in charge of the services, read the hymn, "Tarry With Me, O My Savior."

Palbearers were Dell Creamer, Wilbur Welton, Dean Torbitt, Gail Parrett, Fred Conner and Robert Armstrong. Burial was made in the Washington C. H. Cemetery.

### PINEAPPLE PRESERVES

1 lb. jar 34c

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1 lb. jar 27c

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1 lb. jar 36c

### Seedless RASPBERRIES

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### Seedless BLACKBERRIES

1 lb. jar 33c

### Seedless ELDERBERRIES

1 lb. jar 32c

### LISCIANDRO BROS.

We close noon Thursdays

## CENTRAL P.-T.A. HEARS CANTATA, NEGRO SKITS

Robt. Terhune To Head Group Next Year, It Is Announced Tuesday Night

Every student in the first six grades at Central School participated in the cantata given at the Central P-TA meeting, Tuesday night.

With a background of choral music, pantomimes were given by Matthew Emerson as America; Roxanna Rost, Little Papoose; Indian Song, Audrey Patton and Clyde McCray; Jack Trimmer, Yankee Doodle; Charles Campbell, George Washington; Dick Higgins and Barry McGee, Our Flag; Alfred Cornell, Noble Lincoln; Delia McCoy and Junior Blair, minuet; Bobby Hyer, Over There; John Andrews, the Caisson Song and Columbia, Paddy Eekle.

The costumed cantata was directed by Miss Mary Elizabeth Browning, music supervisor for elementary schools. Miss Marian Christopher was the accompanist.

New president of Central P-TA is Robert Terhune, Fred Rost announced Tuesday night. Other officers are: first vice-president, Mrs. Robert Dunton; second vice-president, Miss Lillian Taylor; secretary, Mrs. A. F. Weatherly; treasurer, Mrs. Andrew Loudner and press reporter, Mrs. Robert Bishop.

Mrs. George Trimmer was program chairman for the P-TA's last meeting of the year. Mrs. Robert Terhune conducted the devotional period.

Dramatic students from Miss Sara Keck's WHS class gave Negro skits in costume. They were Jean Burke, Doris Brandenburg, Charles Baker, Joan Grimm, Lois Robinson, Jane Campbell, Hal Summers, Janice Murray, Barbara Zimmerman and June Cook.

### FOUR ASK DIVORCE HILLSBORO

Four persons have filed divorce suits here so far this week.

## THE OLD HOME TOWN By STANLEY



## Fayette County Boys With Armed Forces

James Cannon, petty officer third class, came home from his home port in San Francisco, Calif., to be with his mother, Mrs. Louise Stewart for fifteen days.

A-S Joseph Dean Batson is now enrolled in the navy "boot training" at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, according to word received by his mother and his wife here.

Pvt. Isaac S. Stewart, stationed at Camp Maxey, Texas, has been transferred from a medium maintenance company to heavy maintenance and is enrolled in the ordnance training center at Aberdeen, Maryland. He will be graduated on June 1, 1944.

Ppl. John E. Finney arrived in Denver, Colorado, last Saturday to spend a 12 day furlough with his sister, Mrs. Orville E. Whaley, and Pfc. Whaley, Cpl. Finney is with the infantry at Fort McClellan, Ala. He was inducted from this city in August, 1943.

Pvt. James Marvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Marvin, 306 McElwain Street, is at his home

## BLOOD DONOR UNIT TO COME APRIL 24 AND 25

Committee Meets Wednesday Night To Plan for Visit

April 24 and 25 will be the next red-letter days for Fayette County, for on that Monday and Tuesday the Red Cross mobile blood unit will come here again to give Fayette Countians another chance to save lives of wounded servicemen.

Ray Brandenburg, chairman of the committee here, said the organization will be virtually the same, with Grace Methodist Church as headquarters.

Wednesday at 8 P. M., the committee will meet in Brandenburg's Garage to begin planning for the coming visit. Robert Craig, re-

## SOLONER'S HUSBAND WOUNDED IN ACTION

Pfc. James Rhodes Is Casualty In New Guinea

Pfc. James Rhodes, husband of Mrs. Ruth Lightle Rhodes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lightle, formerly of South Solon, is reported wounded in New Guinea, it is learned today.

In a recent letter to his wife, Pfc. Rhodes said he was wounded in the hip but was recovering and able to sit up.

Mr. and Mrs. Lightle moved from South Solon to near Springfield two months ago. Mrs. Rhodes is living with her parents.

## LENTEN SERVICES END WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Culminating the Lenten series of Wednesday night services, Rev. George B. Parkin will speak on "The Significance of the Cross" Wednesday night at Grace Methodist Church.

The young adult class will be in charge of the devotions. Buy War Bonds and Stamps

## OCCASIONALLY CONSTIPATED? A Trial Today --- A Happier Tomorrow

If you are subject to such temporary attacks of constipation, why not let TONJON No. 1 or No. 2 do its good work for you? You will be surprised at its mild but effective action, and you are bound to feel better and happier when the intestinal tract is freed from the troublesome waste which causes the distress. A trial today --- a happier tomorrow.

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TOBACCO TUXEDO CRANER UNION LEADER 2 for 1

Write That Boy Overseas Today! V-MAIL STATIONERY Pkg 30 SHEETS 25c

89¢ NUJOL MINERAL OIL QUART BOTTLE 89c

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25¢ SIZE ANACIN TABLETS 19¢

25¢ SIZE BE PREPARED 60¢ ALKA SELTZER 49¢ EFFERVESENT TABLETS

25¢ SIZE

SOAP SALE

10¢ LUX BEAUTY SOAP 7c

STORK CASTILE SOAP 3 Bars 22¢

WOODBURY SOAP 2 Bars 14c

LIFEBUOY SOAP 2 Bars 13c

PALM-OLIVE SOAP 2 Bars 13c

CAMAY SOAP 2 Bars 13c

ST. JOSEPH'S ASPIRIN BOX OF 12 10¢

35¢ JAR VICK'S 27¢ VAPO-RUB

EX-LAX LAXATIVE 25¢ SIZE 19¢

SQUIBB'S ASPIRIN BOTTLE 100 49¢

## HANDS BEGIN TO FLY when the fleet moves in or it's payday in the Army

Then the boys rush to the telephone—a whole, eager bunch of them all at once—to call the folks back home.

Your casual Long Distance call at such a time could mean that some soldier or sailor would have to wait—or maybe not have time to get his call through at all. Will you please help—by leaving 7 to 10 P. M. for the service men? It's especially important in these off-duty hours.

Buy War Bonds for Victory



"GIVE 7 TO 10 TO THE SERVICE MEN"

THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE CO.



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